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CONTESTS ARE CALLED.

Alameda County's District Fight Will Soon Be Settled.

THE COMMITTEE IS AT WORK.

Financial Issues Are Puzzling the Leaders of the Party.

McKINLEY'S STAND OUTLINED.

Opposition to the Project to Straddle the Issue.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

ST LOUIS June 10—The National Committee of the Republican Party which begins meeting today for the purpose of deciding tentatively at least the various contests for seats in the convention expects to go thoroughly into the merits of all the cases presented

The members are of the opinion that the interests of the party will be promoted by a careful analysis of the testimony and a decision of all cases upon their merits regardless of personal Presidential preferences or the prejudices of the contestants upon the financial question

Their decision in favor of any delegation will have only the effect of seating its members for temporary organization and their work will necessarily be superseded by a Committee on Credentials, but they hope to perform the task so thoroughly as to leave comparatively little for that committee to do

The National Committee will probably be engaged upon the contests the greater part of the week

The McKinley men have decided upon C W Fairbanks of Indiana for temporary Chairman but many members of the National Committee are urging Samuel Fessenden of Connecticutt

Fessenden will not be satisfactory to the McKinley leaders and if the National Committee should name him it might precipitate a contest in the convention

It is possible however, that everything will be adjusted in the committee

The trouble about the colored delegates seems settled

Chairman Carter received numerous telegrams from all over the country calling for the removal of the convention if the colored men do not receive fair treatment

The matter will be brought up in the committee today and Chairman Kennard of the local committee will give assurances that the colored delegates will be taken care of

A careful analysis of the situation seems to indicate a straddle on the financial question would not be popular A straddle to hold the silver States the leaders say would lose New York New Jersey and Connecticut, in case a gold Democrat was in the field

The silver men claim that no straddle the Republicans could adopt would hold Colorado and such States against the nominee of the Democrats and Republicans on a free silver platform

Figuring on the basis of the electoral college it is declared the only logical and candid way will be to condemn free coinage and declare in unmistakeable terms for the present standard

CONTESTS COME UP.

They Are to Be Considered in Their Alphabetical Order

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

ST LOUIS June 10—The National Republican Committee met at 12 o'clock with Chairman Carter of Montana in the chair The e were very few absentees The business before the committee the consideration of the contests was promptly taken up The initial meeting was of an executive character and press and public were excluded

The Executive Committee of the National Committee held a meeting today to hear the report of the sub-committee which made arrangements for the Convention An informal visit to the convention building was made by Chairman Carter and the other members The acoustic properties of the hall were found to be all that could be desired

The committee had been in session only a few minutes when Richard Kerens offered a motion to admit the press, which was adopted

It was discovered as soon as the committee announced the readiness to take up the Alabama contest that the parties were not prepared to proceed immediately.

Recess was therefore taken until 2 o'clock, when it was announced the states will be taken up in alphabetical order to hear the contests

THE FIRST FIGHT.

A McKinley Victory for the Delegates From Alabama.

ST LOUIS June 10—Bulletin—The motion to seat the Mosely (Ala) delegation was defeated 38 to 6

The Buckley (McKinley) delegation was then seated without opposition

It was a decided McKinley victory Those voting to seat the Mosely delegation were Fessenden (Conn), Gear (Iowa), Leonard (La) Crain (Mass), Southerland (N. Y), Carson (Dist Columbia)

THURSTON TALKS.

He Is Booming Hobart of New Jersey for Vice President

ST. LOUIS, June 10—Senator Thurston member of the National Republican Committee from Nebraska and delegate to the Convention was among the early arrivals today He wore a McKinley and Hobart badge

"It is pretty well understood said the Senator that I am for McKinley for first place With his nomination assured as it is, we want an Eastern man as his running mate and I believe Hobart to be an available man We want to keep New Jersey in the Republican ranks now we have it there Furthermore Hobart is strong in New York

Thurston said he believed the Indiana declaration would form a model upon which the money declaration would be based

"It is" he said "brief and explicit and skillfully avoids reference by terms to any of the mooted questions It is unmistakably a sound-money utterance at the same time it avoids all mention of the gold standard reference to which, by name would drive votes away from the ticket in some states"

The Senator expressed the opinion that the Indiana platform would be satisfactory to all the Western states except Colorado Utah Montana Idaho and Nevada, and possibly Wyoming but he said as they have all told, only nineteen votes in the electoral college, the party could afford to lose them.

HANNA AND HAHN.

McKinley's Chief Managers Have Opened Up Head-Quarters.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST LOUIS, June 10—Marcus A Hanna and W A Hahn of Ohio, arrived today

The McKinley headquarters at once became a busy portion of the Southern Hotel

Hanna said the reports received indicated the friends of McKinley had not in the least over-estimated his popularity

Assurances have been received from friends of other candidates that little or no contest would be made

Hahn said the financial plank would be such as every Republican could stand upon who wanted the National credit sustained

THE MONEY PLANK.

Kerens' Stand Gives an Idea of How McKinley Feels.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

ST LOUIS June 10—The following was given out today by Richard C Kerens, member of the National Committee from Missouri

More importance attaches to it than to the various proposed planks on account of Kerens visit to Major McKinley at Canton, although Kerens would not have it understood the proposed plank had the sanction of McKinley and gave no intimation to that effect

"We believe our money should not be inferior to the money of the most enlightened nations of the earth and are unalterably opposed to every scheme that threatens to debase or depreciate our present monetary standard We favor the reasonable use of silver as currency but such use should be to the extent only and under such well-defined regulations that its parity with gold as a currency can be easily and efficiently maintained As consistent bimetallists we are opposed to the independent free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 as a measure fraught with certain disaster to all commercial interests destructive to the interests of the wage-earner and in the absence of an international agreement sure to lead to silver monometallism"

QUAY WITHDRAWS.

He Does Not Want to Be Chairman of the Big Committee.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

CHICAGO, June 10—A special to the Times-Herald from Philadelphia says

Senator Quay said today he would not accept the chairmanship of the Republican National Committee He said he would withdraw from the Presidential field when Speaker Reed Governor Morton and other candidates did He said all doubt as to Major McKinley's nomination on the first ballot was long ago settled

SHOT THROUGH THE HEART

A Man Found Dead on a Train Baggage Car.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WEBSTER CITY Iowa, June 10—The body of a man shot through the heart was found sitting on the platform of the blind baggage car attached to an eastbound passenger train The remains were still warm

Shortly after the train moved away a young man giving the name of G. W Adcock appeared at the morgue and identified the body as that of W E Dudrey of Macon Ill According to Adcock, he and Dudrey were stealing a ride home

When near Duncombe a shot was heard There were five others on the platform and Adcock supposed the shot was fired by a drunken tramp.

The coroner's jury set Adcock at liberty Dudrey's wife and family reside at Macon, Ill

Two Bad Failures.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MILWAUKEE. June 10—Barting and Wanbold Clothing and Men's Furnishing Goods Company have assigned to W D Becker The failure is ascribed to the railway strike Assets $40 000 liabilities $30,000.

The Cream City Furniture Company's furniture factory and the Seaman Frame Factory have been seized by the Sheriff on judgments. The claims against the two concerns amount to $23,000 against the first named and $9 000 against the last named company Assets and liabilities not given.

A Silver Sale

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, June 10—A single transaction was made today in silver certificates, $100,000 at 68

THE DECREE GRANTED.

Mrs. Crowley Gets a Divorce on the Ground of Cruelty.

LITTLE TESTIMONY TAKEN.

She Gets the Two Children and $125 a Month Alimony.

THE HOMESTEAD IS FOR HER.

She Will, However, Lose It if She Marries Again.

The divorce case of Alma A Crowley, who is suing for legal separation from her husband, Dr D D Crowley of this city, came up before Judge Frick in the Superior Court this morning It had been transferred to Judge Frick's court about a month ago, for the reason that Judge Ogden in whose court the action had been brought, had expressed a desire that it should be heard by some other Judge

W W Foote, of counsel for the defendant was the first of the parties interested in the case to make his appearance He was followed by W R Davis who represents the petitioner Then came Dr Crowley Fred L. Button, also of counsel for Mrs Crowley, now came in, followed by R M Fitzgerald who is associated in the case with W W Foote Mr Fitzgerald and Mr Foote in their greeting and intercourse betrayed no evidence of knowledge of the big political battle in which each had fought the other at the polls on Friday last The greeting was friendly and cordial, and gradually dropped into a whispered consideration of features of the case

The trial had been set for 10 o'clock, but up to 11 30 o'clock A M the petitioner herself had not put in an appearance There was also noticed an utter absence of witnesses The only person present outside of the attorneys mentioned who was in any manner interested in the case was A. G. Ainsworth, the husband of the lady who was in the office of Dr Crowley at the time Mrs Crowley appeared there unannounced.

The absence of witnesses gave rise to the surmise that an attempt was being made to settle the case without the ordeal of a trial

This surmise was in a measure strengthened by the report which was circulated that the charge of adultery against the defendant had been withdrawn

To give more color to this theory the attorneys at times held whispered conversations one with the other, and at others with the Judge in a manner which seemed to argue that questions other than proceeding immediately with the hearing of the cause were under consideration

Dr Crowley was asked by a Tribune reporter if it were true that the charge referred to had been withdrawn, and replied that he did not know If it had been withdrawn he said, he had instructed his attorneys to see that the withdrawal had been made in no vague manner and that it was clearly apparent that a mistake had been made in making the charge at all

At length there was a conference between counsel on both sides and Judge Frick held in chambers This conclave continued for half an hour and when the attorneys again appeared one of them said to an interested party that it had been agreed that no evidence would be introduced on the graver charge above referred to thus limiting the petitioner to a showing of alleged cruelty

Counsel for the defendant insisted that if no testimony were introduced on the ground of adultery the decree should set forth the fact that the charge was unjust and unfounded in justice to Dr Crowley whose reputation had been affected by the charge On that point it was said that perfect unanimity prevailed among the attorneys

The next question which arose was as to the disposition of the homestead of Dr Crowley on Alice street, which is now occupied by Mrs Crowley

Counsel for the petitioner wanted the home to be deeded to her, but objection was made to the demand by the doctor's attorneys who were willing to give Mrs Crowley the use of the home during her natural life and who desired after her death that the property should revert to the doctor for his children

It was impossible for the opposing attorneys to agree on this subject, whereupon W R Davis retired from the conference and had an interview with Mrs Crowley who had been awaiting developments in the office of the District Attorney

After about ten minutes Mr Davis returned There was then another conference in chambers Finally at 11 25 o'clock counsel and Judge Frick emerged from chambers and took up his position on the bench He called the case "Crowley vs Crowley"

W W Foote answered "Ready for the defendant, your honor"

Mr Foote continuing, said "This is a matter that ought not to be made public I will ask therefor to have the case tried behind closed doors with only the stenographer present"

"Such may be the order," said Judge Frick

The court was then cleared, save as to counsel presiding Judge and stenographer and the hearing of the case was proceeded with

Counse for the petitioner then introduced evidence tending to substantiate the charge of cruelty

They made no attempt to substantiate any other charge whereupon the attorneys for Dr Crowley offered to disprove the charge of adultery, but the matter was not gone into

Judge Frick granted Mrs Crowley a decree of divorce from her husband on the ground of cruelty giving her the custody of her two minor children and allowing her alimony in the sum of $125 per month

He also allowed her the homestead for the use of herself and children until she should re-marry

In the event of Mrs Crowley's re-marriage the property is to go to the children and must be vacated by the mother

On the charge of adultery, the decree sets forth that the allegation was not proven and was unfounded

The proceedings consumed only a short time and attracted little or no attention.

TAKING A TUMBLE.

A Bad Break Today in the San Francisco Mining Market.

CHOLLAR GOES TO PIECES.

It Drops From $3.65 to $2.60 at the One Sitting.

ANOTHER DUNHAM RUMOR.

He Is Said to Have Been Seen Near San Miguel.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 10—The stock market opened strong this morning, but there was a sharp decline later in the day.

A break in Chollar today running down from $3 65 to $2 60, brought values down elsewhere, but the market closed with a steadier tone.

DUNHAM AGAIN

SAN MIGUEL, Cal, June 10—A man answering Dunham's description was seen on San Marcos creek yesterday. Officers on the trail at Lyndon will be here tonight

THE NATIVE DAUGHTERS

NAPA, Cal, June 10—The Grand Parlor Native Daughters met at 9 30 this morning

The first business, the report of the committee on the state of the order, showed a splendid increase in members and a satisfactory financial condition

The Grand President's recommendation was adopted making the Past Grand President's committee prepare a programme of subjects of interest and for the advancement of the social and financial condition of the subordinate parlors

Their report will be submitted tomorrow afternoon.

An order was made that when the Grand Parlor do formally adjourn it be out of respect to the memory of Evylan Packard formerly of Napa, and at one time Grand Marshal, now deceased.

THE HEARNE CASE

SAN DIEGO, Cal, June 10—The jury in the case of J C Hearne against M H DeYourg for damages for alleged libel for $100 000 failed to agree after being out all night and until this afternoon

The jury was equally divided for plaintiff and defendant

The alleged libel consisted in connecting Hearne's name with the murder of Amos Stillwell, in Hannibal, Mo, eight years ago

A CIVIC ISSUE.

Can a Town Take Charge of a Street Railroad Business.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MILWAUKEE. June 10—The promoters of the municipal railway scheme will apply to the Common Council at its next meeting for a franchise and also for an appropriation from the city to subscribe for the stock of the new company

The articles of incorporation of the new company which will be known as the Milwaukee Municipal and Suburban Railroad and are unique in that the propose a composite plan of private and public ownership, some of the stock to be owned by individuals and the balance by the city

The capital stock is fixed at $1,000,000 in $5 shares

The experiment is being carefully watched by railroad men who say the city has no power to go into the street railway business

CRITICAL COMPLAINTS.

More Americans Badly Treated by the Spaniards in Cuba.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, June 10—Dr J D Delgado and Son, J M Delgado, American citizens, reached this city today on the steamer City of Washington from Havana.

They are going to Washington to make formal statements to the State Department regarding the treatment to which they were subjected in Cuba, the elder Delgado having been shot almost to death by Spanish soldiers, his servants murdered and property destroyed

There also came on the City of Washington Felix Cabello, an officer in the Spanish service said to be on an important errand to this country.

Russian Enterprise.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PHILADELPHIA, June 10—The Russian engineers have been in Philadelphia and are now traveling West who have made a contract for $500,000 worth of machinery here. It is also proposed to erect a great plant at Nijni, Russia, to build steam locomotives. Machinery will be bought in thirty different cities reaching several million dollars in value At present nearly all Russian Government railroad locomotives are built here.

May Be a Tragedy

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, June 10—A three-masted schooner, Edward C Allen True, Capt McLaughlin, from Baltimore for Portland, sank off Jobb's Neck, south side of this island this morning. From the fact that the vessel's boats have come ashore in pieces and articles of clothing have been picked up, it is feared all on board are lost

BURNED ALIVE.

Seven Men Stricken Down by a Terrific Dynamite Explosion.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

JOHNSTOWN Pa June 10—A hundred and eighty cans of dynamite exploded about a mile below Lilly yesterday afternoon with frightful results.

Dead—Mike Scawnoski

Fatally injured—Antonio Stibley, Gregorious Schiki, Gabriel Augonoski, Frank Smith, colored Peter Jackson, colored, Samuel Walters

Contractor McManus and his workmen on the Pennsylvania railway were getting ready to make a blast when the premature explosion occurred, burying seven men beneath sand and rock.

TO ADJOURN TOMORROW

The House Clearing the Decks of Congressional Business.

Aluminum Suggested as a Metal for the Minor Coins.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, June 10—When the House re-convened at 10 o'clock this morning still in continuation of the legislative day Saturday, the general feeling was that Congress would reach final adjournment tonight.

About 100 members were on the floor.

C. W Stone, (Rep Pa) chairman of the Committee on Coinage Weights and Measures, secured the passage of a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Treasury to report to the House next session such information as he may be able to obtain as to the comparative merits of pure nickel, nickel alloy, aluminum, alloy and copper bronze as material for minor coins and authorizing him to have struck experimental coins.

A resolution was adopted authorizing the parties to the Hopkins-Kendall contested case from the Tenth Kentucky District to take testimony as to the result in Clark County up to August 1, 1896.

The House passed a bill to make Santa Barbara a sub-port of entry.

The House passed the bill appropriating $200 000 for a Government exhibit at the Omaha Exposition in 1898

At 1 30 P M the members of the Appropriation Committee expressed the opinion that while final agreements on the sundry civil and District of Columbia bills were probable this afternoon, sine die adjournment could not be reached until tomorrow

THE SENATE

The Senate passed the contempt of court bill without division

The Senate voted to again insist on the public building amendments to the sundry civil bill and sent it back to conference

The Senate has agreed to a final conference report on the District of Columbia bill leaving only the sundry civil bill to be acted upon

ASKS GUARDIANSHIP.

Mrs. Prescott Applies in the Case of Estelle Baker

Mrs. Prescott of the Humane Society will apply to the courts for letters of guardianship of Estelle Baker, the fifteen year-old daughter of M C Baker of San Francisco.

The girl's parents were divorced some time ago The mother was given the custody of the children At first she was kind to them but of late a mental alienation has taken place and now, Estelle, the oldest child wishes to be taken from her custody The arrangements are agreeable to the father who is willing to support the child and complete her education in music as soon as she leaves his wife's custody.

ROOT'S CASE.

The Gold Brick Affair Is in the Courts Today.

The case of grand larceny against Andrew Root, the alleged gold brick man, came up for trial before Judge Greene in the Superior Court this afternoon.

The State was represented by District Attorney Snook and Chief Deputy District Attorney Church.

The defendant was represented by Attorney Nusbaumer

A special venire of jurors was ordered, because all the members of the regular panel, with the exception of one member, were engaged in trying other cases.

Sports Knocked Out.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

COVINGTON, Ky, June 10—Kenton County grand jury yesterday returned an indictment against the Roseldale Electric Light Racing Club, also against "Kid" Shaw, who is closely associated with the club as bookmaker and otherwise for maintaining a common nuisance and allowing people to congregate for betting on horse racing Another indictment was against Charles Bollinger for maintaining a pool room in West Covington.

Bitten by a Dog

Otis Carrington, son of Carroll Carrington of the Saturday Press, was painfully bitten on the thigh yesterday evening by a Newfoundland dog belonging to Mrs. Dunn who resides on Seventeenth street, between Center and Cypress streets The lad is 12 years of age and was playing with a companion and the dog in Mrs Dunn's yard at the time of the occurrence The boy's father says that he does not think the dog was vicious at the time of the biting.

Tyler's Son in Trouble.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

RICHMOND, Va., June 10—O. F. Tyler, a son of President John Tyler, is a prisoner in the police court here charged with shooting with intent to kill Jack Carr, a young negro. He went to the assistance of another person who got into a difficulty with Carr and says the shooting was in self-defense The accused was sent on to the grand jury and allowed bail.

J. N. KNOWLES IS DEAD.

The Trustee of the Merritt Estate Suddenly Called.

HIS END WAS UNEXPECTED.

He Turned Back on a Trip He Started for Alaska.

A SKETCH OF HIS LIFE.

Speculation of the Effect on the Trust Deed.

Captain J. N Knowles died very suddenly of apoplexy at his Jackson street residence shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon He had been ailing for several days with a severe cold but was able to be up and about to within an hour of his death

About 1 o'clock he was stricken with apoplexy He never recovered and was dead within an hour.

He started for Alaska last Saturday, but owing to a severe cold had the steamer Jennie, in which he was a large owner, turn back She arrived in San Francisco last night, and Captain Knowles came directly to his home.

Mr. Knowles' wife and six children survive him. They are Mrs. Harry Gordon, Mrs H H Adams, and Harry, Mattie, Ruth, Alice and Thomas Knowles. All are in Oakland at the present time save Thomas and Miss Ruth Knowles. She is visiting near Forest Grove.

Captain Knowles was formerly a sea captain, well known in shipping circles. The last ship he sailed in was the famous "Glory of the Seas," which is still afloat and was the one hundredth ship made by the Boston firm of Donald McKay.

On one of his cruises the deceased was cast away on an island in the South Sea, by error of the chart, and his ship was lost Leaving a portion of the crew on the island, he took a long boat and went to Pitcairn Island, where he buried $17,000 worth of treasure. The island was inhabited by him for several months, when with the help of his men he built a small boat and sailed near Samoa. He was then taken home to San Francisco, after having been given up as dead During his absence a partial administration of his estate had taken place

When he came to this coast, he was a trusted consignee of several Boston ships, and afterward their agent

Later he was interested in a whaling company

Captain Knowles settled in Oakland about twenty years ago and has been a resident here ever since, living in the family home which was purchased from the late Dr Merritt.

As regards the effect of the death of Captain Knowles will have upon the deed of trust of the late Dr Samuel Merritt in favor of the doctor's nephews, James and Fred Merritt, of which the Captain was the trustee, Attorney Frederick S. Stratton said this afternoon that the successorship would depend upon the terms of the trust deed.

If the deed specified, as some of those deeds do, in the event of death of the trustee, that some other person shall succeed to his position, then such a person must take the vacant position In the absence of such a provision, the Superior Court has the power to appoint the successor, and the court is at liberty to take into consideration the wishes of the beneficiaries and others who are interested in a careful administration of the trust.

The trust provided that $60 000 in property was to be held for the nephews and from this they were to receive the income. The great defect of the trust was that no power was given to the trustee to sell in the event of the income from the property not proving remunerative.

COURT CALENDAR.

THURSDAY, JUNE 11 1896

Department 1, Judge Frick—George T Hawley vs. M L Wurts. W. H. Robinson vs R Thompson

Department 2, Judge Ogden—Walsh vs Oakland Water Company Blair vs Squire et al Wettstein vs Southern Pacific Company.

Department 3, Judge Ellsworth—Reserved

Department 4 Judge Greene—People vs. Gordon Estates of G W Taft, G E Whitney, Mary J Evoy and Fred A. Gowing

Old and Dying

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ANN ARBOR, Mich, June 10—Ex-Governor Felch is very low and hardly expected to live He is unable to move himself in bed and passed a bad night. He is 92 years old The heart action is bad and there is a general failing of his powers both of body and mind. Drs Jennings of Detroit and W. J. Herdman, of Ann Arbor are in attendance.

The Wheat Report.

WASHINGTON, June 10—The Agricultural Department crop report is as follows: Average condition winter wheat, 77.9; spring wheat, 90 9, total winter area, 22,794,000, total spring, 11,825,000 The percentage of winter and spring wheat acreage is 101 7 The condition of all wheat is 87.5.

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WIDENING THE BREACH.

The Third Congressional Fight Takes a Bad Turn.

HOT MINORITY ATTACK.

A Circular Letter Is Being Sent Throughout the District.

ACTION EXPECTED TONIGHT.

Conferences Held, but the Troubles Were Not Settled.

The offices of Court Commissioner Babcock will again be the scene of the Third Congressional District Committee meeting tonight, when once more the primary dispute will claim attention. Whether the matter will be definitely settled or not is an open question, though several members state positively that a final decision will be reached. This seems probable, for the County Central Committee congregates on Friday and it is said that unless something decisive transpires tonight, it will take the reins.

There is a general rumor that already a definite compromise has been agreed upon which is satisfactory to the Davis faction of the primary men and to the Taylor committee. According to reports members of the old and new Congressional Committee, as well as the County Committee, held a secret meeting last night and fixed matters to their satisfaction.

A majority of the new organization had practically agreed upon a report as early as last week, though it was not to be binding unless certain concessions were made by the Taylor faction. All things being satisfactorily arranged these members are to come prepared tonight to turn down their opposing committeemen and vote their majority straight.

On the other hand, the Aldrich, Sands and Edgar portion do not believe they will be given no show and express doubts as to a final settlement tonight. If things are brought to a focus, several well-laid plans will be useless.

As the situation stands at present, there are direct charges made against some members of insincerity to their constituents who placed them in power, while statements are freely made that personal gain is controlling the actions of these men. The split is wide, despite the attempts to smother the fact and if the minority is not given a show, the feeling is liable to cause a bolt.

Aldrich, Sands and Edgar, who have stuck together on every proposition, though painfully in the minority, have prepared for circulation a letter which is to be sent to every Congressional Committeeman in the outside counties. It is as follows:

Oakland, June 8th, 1896.

To.....

Member of the Third District Congressional Republican Committee in and for..... of.....

Sir:—It is doubtless well known to the members of the Third District Congressional Republican Committee that there has been much ill will and difference of opinion between different factions of the Republican party on Alameda County.

The story of how the "Primary" and "Appointive factions fought out their differences at Sacramento it would be tedious to recount. Suffice it to say that the embers of that fire are not dead.

It has entered the minds of some Alamedans to endeavor to compromise and harmonize the differences and heal the wounds in the face of threats of Stephen T. Gage and the appointive faction in general "never to vote for Hilborn if he is nominated." They are even at this time breathing vengeance and have demanded as an ultimatum that the Convention shall be held—not in Vallejo as heretofore in good faith decided—but in Oakland or Martinez.

They also make it an ultimatum that the old Congressional Committee be resurrected and revivified and empowered to act with the members of the new Congressional Committee as a returning board, although they at the same time admit that the old Congressional Committee has neither life nor power.

In fact they go further and propose that the new Congressional Committee shall wholly abdicate and surrender any and all power it may have and a new Congressional Committee is to be selected at the Congressional Convention to be held in the future.

At least one-half of the Alameda County members of the Committee, if not two-thirds of the same, propose to stand by the principles for which we fought in Sacramento and to maintain that stand all along the line to the last. We meant what we said at the outset and we are not willing to repudiate it all by our acts now.

We are also unwilling to weaken the standing of our delegates Messrs. Parker and Belshaw before the St. Louis Convention by clouding our own title and by questioning our own authority as Congressional Committeemen. We have been and are willing to concede representation and equal representation to this faction upon election boards but we have the strongest reasons to believe that the whole matter is done for delay until after the St. Louis Convention in the hope that Denison and Hochheimer will be seated, when they will refuse to treat or compromise at all; and we seriously object to being used as mere railroad tools and when we have served a purpose being cast aside. It has been asserted that Mr. Denison instructs his friends not to enter into and compromise until after the decision of the contest at St. Louis and it is known positively who are thereby seated. This means that if Messrs. Parker and Belshaw are seated they will compromise; but if Denison and Hochheimer are seated then they want no compromise whatever.

At the last meeting of the Third District Congressional Committee there were proxies from Solano, Colusa, Lake and Yolo Counties voted at the meeting by residents of Alameda County. This we think unjust. We are willing that the other counties in this Congressional District should help to decide the quarrel in Alameda County if they think best and desire so to do because we know that they have an interest in the selection of a Congressman. If you desire to participate in the decision of our quarrel come and welcome, or if you cannot come and desire to give some one your proxy, give it to a resident of your own county. Then we shall have the true sentiment of the county districts.

It is believed by the triumverate that the call arranged and endorsed by it will receive two additional votes tonight. This has been the bone of contention for the last two meetings and additional support now seems to further complicate matters. The fact that the call is so radically different from the other partially agreed upon shows the difference existing among members.

The Aldrich call directs the convention to be held in Vallejo for the nomination of Congressional representatives and for the selection of a new Congressional Committee to succeed the one appointed in Sacramento. It provides for the apportionment as follows: Alameda, 47, Contra Costa, 9; Solano, 12; Yolo, 7, Lake, 3; Colusa, 4, and Glenn 3. It further states that delegates to the convention be elected direct in Alameda County at the primaries, or with the ultimatum of a convention following primaries.

The call also provides that all contests be considered by members occupying uncontested seats in the committee and concludes with directing the County Central Committee to call a primary election.

At the last meeting of the committee the voting generally stood 8 to 3. By a change of two votes the action will stand 6 to 5, if no additional members are present. Consequently tonight's meeting will be full of interest to politicians for the slightest flop on either side will cast the die.

LET'S PUT THE CASE

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OAKLAND, CAL.

MAD PANIC AT A FIRE.

Exciting Scenes in a Cloak Making Factory in Chicago.

All Escaped, But for a Time the Situation Was Very Critical.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, June 10.—Sixty cloak makers, who are employed at 192 South Morgan street, were thrown into a panic by a fire last evening and for a time it seemed as though some of them would be trampled to death in the scramble to escape.

Both men and women are employed in the cloak making establishments. When word of the fire had been given everybody made a rush for the stairway.

Those on the third floor made their way down to the first, but here they were stopped by employes from the first floor, who were afraid to run down the lower stairway, which was beginning to burn quite briskly.

Fully thirty-five men and women stood panic-stricken on the stairway while the flames ascended rapidly, just as a sheet of fire began licking at the feet of the foremost of those on the stairway he darted swiftly down the burning structure and escaped without a scratch.

Those behind him followed in quick succession until all but about three of the employes had escaped without serious injury.

These three, who were men, remained on the third floor until the fire department arrived and then they made their way down a ladder which was hoisted to a rear window.

Those in front of the building scrambled into the street and by means of another stairway. The flames were extinguished in a few minutes, as they were confined to the stairway.

SONOMA'S CELEBRATION.

Major Sherman Invited to Be Marshal of the Parade.

On Saturday next Sonoma will be the scene of a big celebration in honor of the raising of the first Bear Flag in the State. Delegations of Grand Army men from Oakland, San Francisco, and other points in the State will attend and Major E. A. Sherman has been honored by being appointed Marshal of the parade.

Major Sherman came to Sonoma in '45 when it was the military center of the State. At that time Joe Hooker was the Adjutant, Phil Kearney, Major, and Stoneman, Lieutenant.

Major Sherman is in receipt of the following letter:

Sonoma, Cal., June 8th, 1896.

"Major E. A. Sherman, My dear Sir—On behalf of the Citizens' Executive Committee of the Bear Flag celebration, I invite you to be Marshal of the parade. We feel that you would be an especially acceptable and fitting officer since you were Clerk of the first Board of Trustees of this place.

The celebration will take place June 13th and the parade will consist of Native Sons, Grand Army men and the Firemen.

Awaiting your pleasure, I am your obedient servant,

BENJ. WELD,
Sect. Executive Committee."

SENT TO STATES PRISON.

C. H. Thompson Will Have Time to Regret His Forgery.

C. H. Thompson was sentenced to three and a half years in the penitentiary this morning by Judge Greene on the charge of forgery. His victim was a man named James Nelson who surrendered $15 to the accused as a consequence of Thompson's penwork. The prisoner's attorney, H. S. Aldrich, asked for the leniency of the court on the ground that Thompson had never been convicted of a felony before. The accused was placed on the stand and testified to the same state of facts.

Judge Greene, however, subjected Thompson to a rigid cross-examination, showing the life of the accused from birth up to the present time.

CHINA VERSUS JAPAN.

The International Complications Are Aired in Court.

The Japanese-Chinese battle, which was fought a few mornings ago in Mrs. Pedar Sather's kitchen by her Japanese and Chinese servants was re-fought this morning in the police court by A. A. Moore, Jr., representing Nge Sing, China's representative, and Judge Daniels, special counsel for George, the Jap.

The stories conflicted. Sing said that George smote him on the cheek, but he, being a Christian Chinaman, and not only a reader but a practicer of the precepts taught in the Bible, refused to return the blow. In fact he turned his other cheek to be smitten. This was George's pie, said the Chinaman, and he smote him sorely several times.

The Jap declared on the stand that Sing was the aggressor and that he only struck in self-defense. A regiment of his countrymen were in the lobby ready to swear to his reputation for peace and quiete, but after one, Mr Kissmama, had testified to it, Moore admitted the rest would follow suit. He argued that the Chinese were a peaceful, unwarlike people and offered to introduce the record of the late Oriental disturbance to show their pacific predelections.

Judge Woods ruled the record inadmissible and then the prosecution wanted to bring Mrs. Sather into court. The Judge however, decided that he did not care to hear further testimony, but reserved his decision until tomorrow.

PREFERRED PRISON.

A Lad Goes to Jail Rather Than Suffer From Hunger.

Simon Brauler, the youth who broke a window in the saloon at Fifteenth street and San Pablo avenue, belonging to Ike Foster, pleaded guilty this morning to malicious mischief and was ready for his sentence at any time.

The boy reiterated the same pitiful story in court that he told to the officers when arrested, and still claimed to have broken the window so that he might be locked up, considering confinement with two meals a day better than liberty and hunger.

The court postponed the passing of sentence to tomorrow.

A Child Suffocated.

The inquest on the remains of the five-day-old son of Samuel G. Nitz, of 269 San Pablo avenue was held this afternoon. The baby died yesterday of suffocation. He was being washed by his mother when she accidentally fell asleep and rolled on him.

LEACH IS THE ASSIGNEE.

Meeting of the Creditors of Charles B. Shear, the Insolvent.

An Attempt to Delay Proceedings Stopped by Judge Ogden.

Abe P. Leach was elected assignee of Charles Shear in Judge Ogden's Court this morning and was authorized to act on the presentation of a bond in the sum of $20,000.

Shear ran a hardware store at the northeast corner of Washington and Tenth streets and went into insolvency about two weeks ago with liabilities in the sum of $26,000.

Nearly all the creditors were represented before Judge Ogden this morning though some had attorneys on hand who were not duly accredited for the purpose. Among the latter class was the March Cycle Company whose claim against the insolvent amounts to $4,784.60, and the Dangler Stove Company of Cleveland whose claim amounts to $5,026.99. The latter of these was represented by Walter Mansfield of San Francisco and the March Company by T. E. Haven. W. J. Robinson who appeared for a number of the creditors opposed the granting of permission to the March and Dangler representatives to vote in the election of the assignee for the reason that they did not show that they had been properly authorized to take part in the proceedings, as they had simply shown that they were counsel for the parties referred to. He contended that that fact did not authorize them to vote for an assignee, but, on the contrary, they should have been specially authorized in writing to perform that act. Messrs Mansfield and Haven referred to a telegram authorizing them to act for the creditors.

Judge Ogden, however, upheld Mr. Robinson's contention and refused the March and Dangler people permission to vote on the ground that they had not produced sufficient proof to entitle them to that right.

Mr. Haven wanted to have the matter of electing an assignee continued until he could get the requisite authority in writing but Judge Ogden said that he could not grant the motion, because the law was mandatory that the assignee had to be elected when the meeting of creditors took place. Furthermore, he held it would be unjust to delay the election simply to accommodate one or two creditors whose special object might be to advance some favorite of their own for the position of assignee.

AFRO-AMERICANS.

They Are Figuring Hard on Action With the Populists.

The Afro-American League decided last evening that to accept the invitation of the Young Men's People's Party Club to a joint conference to be held next Wednesday night was the proper thing, and the question now agitating the minds of the Afro-Americans is, will they capture the club or the club capture them?

They also concluded at their meeting that the colored vote should cut a more dashing figure in political circles, and by resolution order the Executive Committee to make every effort in its power to capture a police star and club for Frenzo Young, a member of the League.

The National Convention of the League will be held in Los Angeles on August 1st, and the local organization has set Tuesday, July 7th, as the night for electing its delegates.

NOTHING IN IT.

Denial of the Reports About the New Ferry Line.

A report has been circulated to the effect that the Alameda Electric Road connecting with the Laundry Farm branch would shortly be the terminus of a ferry system between Oakland and San Francisco. Statements gained currency that the company is now negotiating with H. A. Hebard for the use of the water front controlled by him, so that suitable wharves could be built.

When spoken to about the matter today Secretary S. H. Bass denied all the reports concerning the proposed ferry, stating that such an idea has not even been thought of.

Livermore's Water Company

Articles of incorporation of the Livermore Water Company have been filed. The directors are James Stanley of Mission San Jose, Edward McGary of San Francisco, and W. F. Boardman, J. F. Carroll and E. P. Cook of Oakland. The company has extensive water rights near Livermore and proposes to supply Livermore and other towns in the county with water.

Sweeney to Lecture Here.

Rev. Z. T. Sweeney, who is one of the leading orators of the age, and whose descriptive powers are said to be unequaled by none, will lecture on Thursday, the 18th, at Hamilton Hall. Mr. Sweeney was United States Consul General to the Ottoman Empire from 1889 to 1891 and was Imperial Commissioner from Turkey to the World's Fair.

GROVER AND GOLD

Maryland and Connecticut Fly the Administration Banner.

GORMAN'S FORLORN HOPES.

He Thinks the Democracy Will Yet Get the Country.

FREE COINAGE OPPOSED.

The Indian Territory, Though, Is for the White Metal.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BALTIMORE, June 10.—Chairman H. W. Talbott of the State Central Committee called the Democratic State Convention to order today and announced Senator Gorman as temporary Chairman.

The Senator said: "We have come together today not to discuss local affairs. I would not give much for the Democracy of any man who would rake up the embers of the past and air private grievances at the expenses of his party."

The speaker referred in complimentary terms to President Cleveland and his administration. The Republican party, he said, was "a party of the dead."

He urged the Democrats to bury all differences and act in harmony in selecting an acceptable man to lead them. "For in this," he said, "the only hope of this great country lies."

Major Stewart moved that all resolutions be read before they were referred.

This was the first gun of the silver men. The vote was looked upon as a test. The motion was overwhelmingly defeated, not more than a dozen voting aye.

The Convention took a recess to enable the Committee on Resolutions to formulate a report.

The Committee on Permanent Organization reported the name of Gorman for permanent chairman which action the convention ratified.

Gorman made another speech in which he said he would join his hearers in re-organizing the party "so that never again in this generation would it pass from the control in this State and Nation."

The Committee on Resolutions then reported.

The resolutions favored a tariff for revenue only and endorsed the vigorous policy of President Cleveland.

The financial plank is a straight out endorsement of the present gold standard of currency and an emphatic condemnation of the free coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1.

Major Stewart presented a minority report in direct contravention to this, the reading of which was hailed with loud applause and which he offered as a substitute for the financial clause in the majority report.

Stewart made a speech of an hour's duration upon the silver question, at the conclusion of which his motion was overwhelmingly defeated and the majority report adopted.

CONNECTICUT.

Cleveland Again Endorsed and Free Coinage Is Decried.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HARTFORD, Conn., June 10.—The Democratic State Convention to select delegates to the National Convention and Presidential electors met here today.

M. B. Carey, temporary Chairman, in his speech, claimed consideration for the independent voters to whom several of the recent victories of the Democratic party were due. He scouted the proposition to reopen the fight on the tariff issue, and declared the fight now is on the currency question. He asked that the convention's platform be made to contain an unequivocal declaration for a gold standard, and that bimetallism in all forms be disavowed. He praised President Cleveland and ex-Governor Russell as uncompromising opponents of the debasement of currency, and whose leadership Democracy could safely follow. Relative to Presidential nominees, Carey said he hoped the convention at Chicago would select a man whose lips were not sealed on the questions of the day, and whose attitude could not be a matter of doubt.

Ex-Governor Waller, permanent Chairman, spoke briefly.

The report of the Committee on Resolutions was adopted.

On the subject of currency, the platform says: "While we favor the most liberal use of silver consistent with the enforcement of the gold standard, we are unalterably opposed to the free coinage of silver, deeming it a device for the debasement of our currency and the compulsory purchase of silver by the Government. Under the existing circumstances, to pay public debts in silver coin is repudiation. We believe the safety of our national finances requires a system of sound banking by which a bank note currency ample to supply the needs of the whole country shall be created, safely secured and always and everywhere redeemable in gold."

The platform endorses the administration of President Cleveland, and especially approves his "firm support of the public credit and his exemplification of the Monroe Doctrine."

In deference to the wishes of ex-Governor Russell of Massachusetts, expressed in a letter to Lynde Harrison, the delegates were not instructed on the subject of Presidential candidates.

INDIAN TERRITORY.

Silver Champions Who Want Bland Selected as President.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

INITA, I. T., June 10.—The Indian Territory Democratic Convention has elected four delegates from the respective nations of this territory and two delegates-at-large.

Free coinage of silver at ratio of 16 to 1 was indorsed, and the delegates instructed to vote for Bland for the Presidential nomination.

A "WONDERFUL WORLD."

Rev. Edwards Davis Has Selected a Good Theme.

The word picture "Wonderful World" of Rev. Edwards Davis and his stereoscopist Mr. William Pollard is what its title implies. The announcement states that it represents 20,000 miles of travel, viewing seventy incidental scenes of seven natural wonders of our continent, citing their respective scientific significance. The first of the seven scenes is the Natural Bridge of Virginia, showing law and following in logical sequence mystery in Mammoth Cave, power in Niagara, time in Grand Canyon, grandeur in Yosemite, heat in volcano Kilauea and death in Muir Glacier. The Rev. Mr. Davis has visited these several scenes, with one exception, and in consequence a graphic description may be expected. The pictures have been made almost invariably from original plates, and the descriptive views colored with artistic care.

When the lecture was delivered in Woodland it elicited the criticism from the Mail, "A Te Deum of oratorical harmony set to the music of blank verse." The auditorium of the Y. M. C. A. will undoubtedly be filled Friday night to hear Edwards Davis in his new role.

A Stock Scare.

NEW YORK, June 10.—A report from Washington that the President is about to send a message to Congress relative to Cuba, in circulation on the Stock Exchange, caused heavy selling all along the line. The market appeared full of "stop-loss" orders and yielded easily.

A DANGEROUS LOAD.

Chicago Police Are Trying to Solve a Mystery.

A Valise Filled With Dynamite, Percussion Caps and Bullets.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, June 10.—Captain Shippy and the police of Woodlawn station have a valise mystery on their hands.

Late on the afternoon of Decoration Day a middle-aged man went into the saloon of Elmer Barron, State street, and after taking a drink, secured the bartender's permission to leave a large-sized valise in the place.

He failed to return and yesterday Barron opened the satchel and found that it contained sixty half-pound sticks of dynamite, a lot of percussion caps and several boxes of 32-calibre bullets.

A number of the one-half pound sticks had been cut in two and fulminating cartridges inserted in the cut and ready for explosion at an instant's notice. One of the cartridges alone would kill a man and it was inserted into a charge of dynamite large enough to blow a house into bits.

Closely fitting in the bottom of the satchel was a peculiar shaped affair. It was constructed of wood and sheet tin and was strongly put together. Captain Shippy thinks it is a section of an infernal machine or possibly a contrivance used in the manufacture of bombs.

Captain Shippy considers it a strange case, and is thoroughly convinced it will be an important one. Said he last evening:

"I have every hope we shall find him. I have in mind the man whom the description fits exactly, for whom nearly every policeman in town have been looking for some time. I have fixed things so if the man is ever seen in this town again we shall have him."

Mrs. Dyer Hanged.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, June 10.—Mrs. Annie Dyer, the baby farmer of Rudbig, arrested on March 9th, on the charge of murdering many infants intrusted to her care, was hanged in Newgate Prison, at 9 o'clock this morning.

Patriotic Fruitvale.

The citizens of Fruitvale have invited Companies B and D of the First Regiment to participate in the Fourth of July celebration at that place. The militiamen will be the guests of the Fire Department.

Driscoll's Examination.

Attorney Donovan, representing Dan Driscoll, the petty larcenist with several priors today had the preliminary examination set for the 13th.

To Elect Teachers.

A special call has been issued to the Board of Education for a meeting next Friday night, at which time teachers will be elected.

DIED.

GILLIGAN—In this city June 8, 1896, Mary, beloved wife of James and mother of Edward F., James, Thomas, Nellie, Jennie and Annie Gilligan and Mrs. Vincent Chloupeck and Mrs. Ernest Brown, a native of County Sligo, Ireland, aged 71 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend funeral THURSDAY, June 11, 1896, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., from her late residence, No. 167 Seventh street, thence to Church of Immaculate Conception, where a solemn requiem mass will be celebrated for the repose of her soul, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M. Interment, St. Mary's Cemetery, Oakland.

SWASEY—In Alameda, June 9, 1896, Marian Josephine Swasey, beloved daughter of the late George H. Swasey, a native of California, aged 3 months and 8 days.

BREMER—In Alameda, June 8, 1896, Christian, beloved husband of Magdalena Bremer, and father of Agnes D. and C. H. Bremer, a native of Holstein, Germany, aged 71 years, 11 months and 27 days.

Davis-Pollard, Friday night, Y. M. C. A.

AUCTION SALE

Of Elegant Parlor, Chamber and Diningroom Furniture, Cabinet Organ, Brussels Carpets, Etc., on Friday, June 12th, at 11 O'clock, A. M., at 1517 Franklin St., Near 20th, on Account of Departure.

Comprising one elegant cabinet organ, cost $350, in fine order; fancy parlor rockers and chairs, parlor tables, Brussels carpets, elegant lamps, lace curtains, oak hat rack, marble clock, oak roll top desk, three fine oak and mahogany chamber suits, best spring and hair mattresses, pillows and bedding, oak extension table and chairs, china, lounging chair, boy's desk, fine crockery and glass ware, wardrobe, fine No. 7 range with water back, agate ware, lawn mower tools, etc. Sale positive. Terms cash.

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FLORENCE GLEISNER HERE

She Is Landed by Detectives in the City Prison.

The Story of Her Mishaps Since She Ran Away From Home.

Florence Gleisner, the fifteen year old Oakland girl, who mysteriously disappeared from her home on May 20th, has been found and is now locked in the city prison on a charge of vagrancy preferred by Mrs. Prescott of the Humane Society. She was caught this morning in a San Francisco lodging house by the society officers and this noon Detective Williams brought her, bag and baggage back to Oakland.

Now the young woman has been found she talks freely of the time she had during her absence, and says that it was with young Harry Ledgett that she left. At first, she says, they took a room in a Broadway lodging house and lived there for a week or up to Memorial Day. The search for her made things too warm for them in Oakland so they mixed with the throng who were out to view the parade and went to San Francisco.

Ledgett had already secured rooms in a lodging house at the corner of Turk and Market streets and to those they went. He stayed with her until Sunday night after Memorial Day. Since then he has been going to see her.

The strange part of her story is that her mother, who to all appearances was the most anxious to find her, was at the rooms last Friday, having been brought by young Ledgett. Since then Mrs. Gleisner has kept her word not to reveal their secret, although her husband was almost crazed with grief at the absence of his child.

The mother was brought to her daughter for the ostensible purpose of giving her consent to the marriage of the children, the girl having demanded marriage of Ledgett. Mrs Gleisner was willing the wedding should take place, but Ledgett pleaded that his father would not assent, the lad being still a minor.

Mrs. Prescott believes this part of Ledgett's story a bona. The girl is still anxious to be married and Mrs. Prescott will see the young man and his father to try and bring about a match.

The Wheat Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, June 10.—Wheat; June, 57½; July, 57. Corn; June, 27¾; July, 27¾.

ASSIGNEE'S AUCTION

Of Groceries, Soloes, Teas, Etc., of the Globe Tea & Grocery Co., at No. 482 Seventh Street, Corner Washington, on Friday, June 12, 1896, at 10:30 O'clock A. M.

By order of the Superior Court, in the matter of Hansen & Lozano, co-partners under firm name of Globe Tea and Grocery Co., I shall sell at public auction, for cash, the stock of groceries, etc., contained at the late place of business of said firm and comprising miscellaneous groceries, canned fruit, canned fish, tea, coffee, spices, meats, pickles, sauces, wood and willow ware, soaps, sweet oil, cocoa, brooms, etc., etc., also cash register, platform and counter scales, showcase, coffee mill, counters, shelving, horse, wagon, etc., etc.

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M. MARCUSE,
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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Four rings, one with five sapphires in a row, one with a diamond and one a silver ring. Return to 1340 E. 14th st, Fruitvale, and be liberally rewarded.

LOST—Silver hunting case ladies' watch, no glass. Reward if returned to 1020 San Pablo ave.

LOST—On May 28, a Great Dane dog, S. F. license, and name Leo on collar. Finder please call at 1250 Broadway.

FOUND—A blue black overcoat, corner Twelfth and Webster. Owner can get same by calling at 352 Twelfth st.

LOST—Small round brown purse Thursday, May 15th, containing $15 in gold, silver and stamps; lost in the vicinity of Thirteenth and Fifteenth sts., between Alice and Broadway. Call for reward at M. S. Smith & Sons, 1154-58 Broadway.

$5 for information or return of red Irish setter, female, 5 months old, small white star on breast. 1009 Broadway.

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A GIRL wishes a situation for general housework; city or country; best of references. Address 855 Washington st.

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AN AMERICAN woman wants work by the day or will do nursing. Address 915 Jefferson st.

COMPETENT WOMAN wants work by the day; washing, ironing and house-cleaning. Apply 371 Tenth, corner Franklin.

SITUATION WANTED—Young lady wishes position as cook or caring for children. Address M. G., 1152 Twenty-third ave., Oakland.

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FEMALE HELP WANTED.

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BREATH BROUGHT BACK.

A Curious Case of Weakened Heart-Action.

A West Virginian Who Could Not Move Without Exhaustion Within Two Weeks Runs Half-a-Mile Without Effort.

WHITEFIELD, W. Va.—(Special.)—The good people of our town are about to form an anti tobacco using club. The direct reason for this agitation is the remarkable cure of Col. D. R. Banks, who for a long time enjoyed the palm as the greatest stogie smoker in West Virginia.

The Colonel said tonight: "Yes, I smoked over twenty years, and over two hundred stogies a week. Always smoked five at a time. I was always an active man, and thought I was thoroughly sound, but one day I had to make a run to catch a train, and in less than a hundred yards I fell over, apparently lifeless. My heart had stopped beating.

"'Tobacco heart,' said the doctor who brought me back to life. Another attack was likely to be fatal, for most cases of death from 'heart failure' are really cases of tobacco heart. That set me figuring on a cure.

"Well, I am cured. Took two boxes of No-To-Bac and it cured me. Can run half a mile now without a long breath, or any oppression. I tell you it's great stuff," and the Colonel dug his knuckles into the reporter's ribs and chuckled. "There are no flies on No-To-Bac. When you get old and worn out, think you're no good, just use it now and then. It will waken forgotten sensations, and you can't sit still for feeling good."

The Colonel's experience is that which hundreds of thousands of former tobacco users have enjoyed. No-To-Bac quickly, naturally and permanently stops tobacco using, makes weak men strong and brings back vitality and vigor. Your own druggist sells it under absolute guarantee to cure or money refunded. Read the famous book, "Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away," mailed free with written guarantee and sample for the asking. Address The Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

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$750—At a sacrifice, cottage, 5 rooms, lot 25x100, situate on north side Fourth st, near Grove.

$2300—Cottage of 5 rooms and bath, lot 39 by 135, on Magnolia st, near 14th st, terms, only small cash payment, balance monthly.

$2100—Cottage of 6 rooms and bath, lot 25x100, on Sixth st near Grove st.

$2300—For Sale or Exchange for unimproved property, cottage of 5 rooms, lot 25x100, on Chestnut st near 18th st.

$1750—Beautiful lot 50x132½, situate on Union street near Central avenue, Alameda, in choice residence section; a bargain; William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$1250 will buy a fine building lot 50x150, situate on San Antonio avenue near Walnut street, Alameda; William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$1200—A nice five room cottage, bay window, flower garden, chicken houses, etc., situate on Hannah street, sunny exposure, lot 50 foot frontage; William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

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$2000—Story and a half modern cottage, situate in Alameda, on sunny side of Clinton avenue near Park street, contains six rooms and bath; lot 36x100; will exchange for Oakland property and assume mortgage; William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$2000—Nice modern cottage of five rooms and bath, situate in Berkeley, on Channing way, near Shattuck avenue; lot 50x135; William J. Dingee, real estate agent, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$1500—Great bargain for immediate sale; 130x100, situate on East Twenty-fourth street near Eleventh avenue, East Oakland; William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$4650—Good modern two story house of eight rooms and bath, situate on Grove street, near Fifteenth street; lot 47½x80; a bargain; $1000 cash, balance to suit; William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

SHARKEY IN TRAINING.

The Sailor Pugilist Starts Work in the Acme Clubrooms.

He is Sanguine About the Result of the Coming Fight.

Thomas Sharkey, the sailor pugilist who is to stand up against James Corbett, champion of the world, for four rounds on June 24th, is the special guest of the Acme Club. He came over from San Francisco yesterday afternoon, with Denny Needham and a few friends and was at once taken charge of by the Acme boys.

The gymnasium has been thrown open to him and every facility for training offered. Needham is his trainer and as he thoroughly understands his business, he expects to have the sailor lad in fine condition when the fight is announced. Sharkey is living with Needham at the latter's home on Tenth street, and the utmost care is being taken of his diet.

Personally, Sharkey is a fine specimen of manhood. His broad shoulders and chest are excellently developed. His features are not by any means attractive, though the lines of determination and a resolute expression are considered particularly good points.

Upon the prize fighter's arrival at the club yesterday, he was besieged with questions as to his condition and the probable outcome of the match. To all of his inquirers, Sharkey had the same quiet answer to give. He is not at all talkative and indeed rarely answers queries in long sentences. When he can say "Yes," or "No" are the accustomed replies and from the stand point of an interview, he is not interesting. Needham does most of the talking for the big man.

During the afternoon Sharkey took off his coat and punched the bag a little just to show his friends how he could do it but not until today did his active training begin.

This morning at half past six o'clock the big pugilist, Danny Needham, and another trainer, took a twelve mile jog over the country roads and on the return to the club, baths were taken. The hours for gymnasium work are from 2:30 o'clock to 4 o'clock and in anticipation of seeing the sailor stripped, a big crowd assembled at the club. The chief work was punching the bag, a game of handball and sparring with Needham. The afternoon was warm and Sharkey soon worked himself into a decided perspiration. The training will continue on these lines every day.

Last night the pugilist, with his trainers, were given a party at the Oakland Theater. The burly bruiser was the center of attraction during the evening, and at one time he was called upon for a speech, though he did not respond.

In an interview with a Tribune man, Sharkey stated in reply to a question as to his tactics in the ring: "I can't tell yet just what I will do, and I don't know how it will come out, but I will do my best. I think Corbett will know I've been in the ring before we get through."

The big man did not know whether he would make an offensive or defensive fight.

"You see," he said, "we can't say anything about that yet, for it all depends on what Corbett does. It will take us at least one round to get down to business, and then I'll know how to act."

Needham volunteered the information that Sharkey was not going to let any grass grow under his feet.

"It is needless to say that he will do his best," he said, "for think of the honors he could win with one good blow. Sharkey will enter that ring prepared to fight from the sounding of the gong, though whether it will be advisable remains to be seen at the time. Of course it is anticipated that Corbett will make a hurricane fight, but Sharkey will be in readiness for him. The result of the contest may mean a whole lot to the pugilistic world."

Among the sporting fraternity it is generally conceded that Sharkey has a very poor chance. Bets are free at even money that the sailor will not stand up to Corbett for more than two rounds if there is a rush fight. There is also plenty of Sharkey money floating around on such wagers, for from the man's physical make-up he certainly can stand some very severe punishment if no knock-out blows are landed. Then, too, there is always the chance that Sharkey will get in a knock-out, and consequently the meet really is of much importance, for the championship of the world may by chance be changed.

TO SETTLE UP.

The Washington's Birthday Celebration Committee Will Pay Bills.

The Washington's Birthday Celebration Committee, is at last ready to close its accounts. Ever since the fact was known that there was a deficit of over $200, the ladies who were interested in the Committee have been industriously at work and have single handed raised the necessary amount all but $2.50.

Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Gardiner have been chiefly interested in the work and to them the credit is due. The money has been raised by donations from the various A. P. A. Councils and by entertainments arranged by the ladies as well as from individual subscription.

It is announced that some time during the week, a full meeting of the old committee will be called and warrants ordered drawn for all outstandings indebtedness.

Those who have investigated are not pleased with the way Secretary Charters turned over his accounts when his labors were concluded and it is said that several discrepancies are in evidence. The lady members have been unable to locate him since the celebration so many of the accounts had to be guessed at. However every thing will be straightened out this week.

AMUSEMENTS.

"From Sire to Son" Drawing Big Houses to the Oakland.

Milton Nobles and his excellent company drew another large and enthusiastic house to the Oakland Theater last night. Sterling talent always tells and the reputations Mr. Nobles and his wife Dollie have achieved stand them in good stead with the theater-going public. "From Sire to Son" is a first-class play and is staged at the Oakland in a very artistic manner. The attraction is one of the best seen in town for many a day.

THE MACDONOUGH.

The most unique and fascinating entertainment yet presented this season is booked for the Macdonough next Monday and Tuesday evening. It is Alexander Black's famous picture play "Miss Jerry." This is an entire novelty in the entertainment line and has been received with great favor in the East. "Miss Jerry" is a charming love story illustrated with stereopticon views and pictures of real scenes and real people. The play has the enthusiastic endorsement of some of the most prominent literary lights of the age. Sale of seats begins next Friday morning.

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WEDNESDAY.....JUNE 10, 1896

Cornell University will this year graduate the largest class that has ever gone forth from any university in this country. There are 401 candidates for degrees at Cornell this year, divided as follows: Mechanical and electrical engineering, 113; law, 65; graduates taking advanced degrees, 59; philosophy, 44; arts, 33; civil engineering, 26; science, 23; architecture, 19; letters, 13; agriculture, 6. It is remarkable that there are only thirteen candidates for degrees in letters. The disproportion in this respect appears to be greater than in any other of the leading universities.

Teaching as a fine art was recently strikingly illustrated by Theatrical Manager Belasco. He brought suit against a certain actress based on a charge for instruction. His method of tutoring an actress came out in his testimony: "I taught her to weep for the different emotions in a different way. So many, nearly all, the actresses on the stage weep in one way. They know only one way to weep. I pulled her around by the hair like Nancy Sykes. I would hit her head on the floor. I would throw her down and drag her around on the floor and beat her to give her the natural emotions. In fact, I tried in the brief period of one year and a half to make her such an artist as it would ordinarily take a woman a lifetime to become." For such high pressure instruction the theatrical instructor only wants a moderate fee. An instructor who will teach a woman to weep for the different emotions must have reached the very summit of art.

The Half and Half Street Watering.

Who is responsible for the destruction that is now going on in the streets of this city? If it is the Mayor, what does he think of the policy of saving a dollar by wasting ten dollars? If it is the Board of Public Works, how does such a public policy square with the best interests of the city? And finally, if the Council has any thing to do with the matter, would it not be well to take some cognizance just now of this waste?

Hardly more than half of the streets are watered in this city. Streets just as important as those that are watered, are neglected. About twelve water carts are in commission, against thirty that ought to be on the streets. Just now there is a disposition to shift the responsibility around so that it does not rest any where in particular. The Street Superintendent is hampered for money. But the one thing to do is to order out the water carts and let the responsibility for meeting the cost rest on other shoulders.

Today Oakland is afflicted with a policy that is letting more than half of the streets go to destruction. There is no defence for such a policy, and there never can be any. There is no financial exigency that requires ten dollars of waste for the one dollar that might be saved.

A Free University.

The Regents yesterday by a close vote, decided not to charge the students at the University tuition fees. It is true that ten dollars does not look like much of a fee. But to make such a charge would have been a departure from the settled policy of the University. There was really no exigency that called for any such departure. A considerable number of students are on the rolls who are working their way. They have little or no money. Ten dollars is a large sum for these young men. They came in from abroad, and are hard pressed for means to meet other current epenses.

It has been the glory of the University that its doors were wide open to every one having the requisite qualifications to enter. The fact that the institution is crowded is a happy circumstance. So large an attendance was not anticipated ten years ago. The very pleasure that will make it necessary to call upon the Legislature for means to erect new buildings, will justify a call to make good any deficit in the running expenses on account of the increasing number of students.

The Two-Thirds Rule.

The two thirds rule in nominating candidates in the Democratic Convention, has never prevailed in any other. In all the other political conventions the majority rule has prevailed. The two thirds rule was first adopted by the Democratic Convention held in Baltimore in 1832. Jackson was nominated without a dissenting vote. That convention in defining the order of business, declared that two thirds of all the votes cast should be necessary for a choice. An effort was made to rescind the two thirds rule in 1844, when Van Buren was a candidate for a second nomination. The convention refused to rescind, and Van Buren was defeated. But while the two thirds rule has prevailed for more than half a century, it has never been strictly enforced as to the platform. There is nothing in the political record to render a platform from acceptance in a Democratic convention by a bare majority. This distinction will probably be sharply observed at Chicago.

The Dividing Line.

If one were to accept some of the predictions of the political prophets, matters will be very much mixed in both of the national conventions. Two thirds of these speculations are not based on any known facts. The Republican Convention will have two or three well defined issues. The Democratic Convention will probably have as many. Both parties will go to the country on these.

The Republican Convention will declare for a Protective tariff. The country is ripe for such a declaration. It will have a leading place in the platform. There will also be a declaration for a gold standard, with some qualifications about silver. But there will be no declaration in favor of free coinage at a ratio of sixteen to one nor any other ratio. All the talk about the silver men bolting from the convention is just so much idle vaporing.

The Republicans have a well defined policy. There will be no radical departure from it. Nor is there any prospect that there will be any bolting from the convention. Even Teller, the radical silver man, goes to St. Louis under instructions to vote for McKinley. To do that, he must vote for the platform, or acquiesce in the adoption of the one which McKinley will endorse. There will also be an arraignment of the present administration for the failure to meet the reasonable expectations of the country. The whole policy of the Republicans can now be forecast as an aggressive one.

The Democratic Convention, meeting a little later, will be required to defend the present administration, and to endorse its policy. That alone would be fatal to a successful canvass. It will be forced to stand by the principle of free trade, and it must make a declaration of financial policy. If the silver men dominate, to that extent, there will be a divergence from the views of the administration. There is little prospect of any bolt, even if the free silver men prevail.

President Cleveland is credited with the declaration that he would sooner support McKinley on a tariff and sound money platform than any Democratic candidate on a free silver platform. Probably there are thousands of others in that party who feel the same way. But in the end, Democrats will stick to their party, even if they have to spit on the platform. There will be a great clearing of the political atmosphere within the next ten days.

The Unexpected Foe.

Slatin Pasha, who went with the Egyptian army to the Soudan, and who was snugly tucked away in prison by the Khalifa at Omdurman for seventeen years, is now settling with his old master. He has turned all his acquired information about the Soudan, its resources and military strength, to account for the army of invasion. In the first really great battle, nearly a thousand Dervishes were killed. Prisoners recognized the man who had been in captivity from about the time of the death of Gordon. Slatin Pasha may yet pay his respects to the Kalifa in his strong hold. This fanatical leader is unable to read, but his ears may tingle with the verbal news that Slatin Pasha is right after him for a settlement.

EVENTS OF THIS DATE.

A Daily Resume of History for Your Scrap Book.

On June 10th of the years named occurred the following important events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS.

Saints Getulius, Landry, Margaret, Blessed Henry.

BIRTHS.

1688—James, Prince of Wales, the Pretender.
1706—John Dolland, optician.
1710—James Short, maker of reflecting telescopes.

DEATHS.

1190—Emperor Frederick Barbarossa.
1735—Thomas Hearne.
1850—James Smith, promoter of sub-soil plowing.
1868—Samuel W. Inge, ex-Member of Congress from California.
1886—Robert Barry Coffin, "Barry Gray," author.
1887—Bishop W. B. Stevens, P. E. Church.
1888—Col. E. R. King Harman, Under Secretary for Ireland.

OTHER EVENTS.

1719—Battle of Glenshields, Sicily.
1734—Charles son of King of Spain, proclaimed King of Two Sicilies.
1768—John Hancock's sloop Liberty seized at Boston.
1772—British sloop Gaspee burned at Providence.
1801—War declared against United States by Tripoli.
1809—Excommunication of Napoleon by Pope Pius VII.
1847—First issue Chicago Tribune.
1861—Federals repulsed at Big Bethel, Va.
1863—Mexico City occupied by the French.
1864—Gen. Hunter moved from Staunton, Va., after destroying $3,000,000 worth of Confederate property.
1864—Federals repulsed at battle of Petersburg, Va.
1864—Frankfort, Ky., unsuccessfully attacked by 1200 Confederates.
1867—Hartford Carpet Company's buildings burned at Tariffville, Conn.; $1,120,000.
1871—Morse statue unveiled in Central Park, New York.
1875—H. B. Claflin Co. of New York indicted for smuggling.
1880—Tercentenary of the Portuguese poet Camoens celebrated at Lisbon.
1885—Twenty-four lives lost in fall of crowded stairway at Thiers, France.
1886—The English Cabinet dissolved.
1888—Opium smuggling ring broken up at Port Huron, Mich., after heavy operations.
1889—Cornerstone of the Confederate monument laid in St. Petersburg, Va.
1891—Concordia Opera House in Baltimore burned. Loss, $100,000.
1892—First annual reunion of Confederate Veterans held in Jacksonville, Fla.
1895—Greek Ministry resigned.
1895—New Jersey Senate passed a bill for preservation of the Palisades.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

A leading diplomatist now in England, who spent many years in Teheran, describes the new Shah as tall, calm and reserved. He is quiet in his manner, moderate in his demands and has fair abilities. Although not the eldest son, he was brought from his birth to succeed the late Shah. To this end he has been trained to rule as Governor of the large province of Azerbaijan. He is much married.

The Duke of Magenta, in marrying the Princess Marguerite d'Orleans has united himself to a great heiress. Princess Marguerite will inherit one-fourth of the huge fortune of the Duc de Chartres, while her mother, the Duchess de Chartres, will be the co-heiress of her parents, the Prince and Princess de Joinville, who possess enormous wealth. The Princess de Joinville is a daughter of the Emperor Peter I of Brazil, and when she was married in 1843 her dot in money and estates was about 7,000,000 francs. Princess Marguerite will probably be largely remembered in the will of her uncle, the Duc d'Aumale, with whom she is a great favorite.

Judge Gregorowski, the Orange Free State magistrate who tried and pronounced sentence on the Transvaal conspirators is of Polish origin, 39 years of age, and studied law at Gray's inn in London.

One of the guests at the ceremony of unveiling the statue of Gen. William Henry Harrison in Cincinnati on Saturday was Bernard McDonald of Grant County, Indiana, now more than 80 years old, who acted as pallbearer at the funeral of General Harrison.

It is said that James Lafitte Smith, a clerk in the Washington postoffice, is the postoffice clerk who sold the first postage stamp and the first stamped envelope ever issued by this government, and who registered the first letters that were presented for registry when that system of mail protection was introduced in the United States. He entered the postoffice as a clerk in 1847 and is now 79 years old.

Andrew Lang says: "A difference in taste in books, when it is decided and vigorous, breaks many a possible friendship." He indicates the passport to his favor by telling us that "he or she who condemns Scott and cannot read Dickens is a person with whom I would fain have no further converse."

Whistler, the artist, wears a hat which measures nearly a foot and a half from one edge of the brim to the other. It is said that he looks like a lead pencil with a dinner plate balanced on top of it.

The largest permanent store of coined money in the world is in the imperial war treasury in Germany, a portion saved for emergencies from the two million pounds paid by France after the Franco-Prussian war, and locked up in the Julius Tower of the fortress of Spandau. It amounts to the value of six million pounds.

A gentle-faced woman hailed a hack on Congress street, Portland, on Sunday, desiring to be taken to the train. A woman who already occupied the carriage shrieked, "Don't you come near me," and ordered the driver most emphatically to drive on. The mildmannered woman looked for once indignant, but resorted to a horse car with the best grace at her command. It was afterward learned that the woman in the hack was Mrs. Hetty Green, and she feared the other woman might attempt to rob her. On hearing this the woman remarked that she would not feel that way for all of Mrs. Green's money.

MENU FOR TOMORROW.

THURSDAY, JUNE 11th.

BREAKFAST

Fruit
Steamed Hominy — Sugar and Cream
Broiled Tripe — French Fried Potatoes
Rolls — Coffee

LUNCH.

Grilled Sardines in Chafing Dish
Watercress — French Dressing
Fruit — Cocoa

DINNER

Consomme
Breast of Lamb, Broiled
Potatoes — Peas
Lettuce — French Dressing
Wafers — La Delicatesse Cheese
Strawberry Shortcake
Coffee

AFTER THE TORNADO.

Its Effect on Rentals, the Building Trades, Etc.

Business in real estate was quite active in the early part of the week, but the cyclone, as a matter of course, suspended everything in the way of immediate sales. It created a rental demand probably without precedent in the city, and nearly all the energies of the agents during the last two or three days have been devoted to strenuous efforts to find any kind of accommodation for applicants. These no longer ask a series of questions as to modern conveniences or make a number of demands as to repairs and alterations as conditions to their becoming tenants. Their only anxiety is to find a place of shelter, and renting was never so easy. Property which has become outclassed by more modern structures in close proximity, has lost its deserted appearance, and families have been moving in just as fast as they could secure wagons of any kind to haul in their furniture. Entirely apart from the families which lost all or nearly all their furniture, as well as their homes in the storm, the records of agents' offices show that there are thousands living in small houses and flats which have been rendered temporarily unfit for habitation. It is to the credit of owners and agents together that, with some unfortunate exceptions, there has been no attempt, as far as can be ascertained, to increase rents in consequence of the extraordinary demand. Even where property had been marked down for the express purpose of getting it occupied, after a long period of vacancy, the cut rates have generally been adhered to. Under ordinary conditions repairs could be effected so as to make many houses weather-proof in a few hours, but the demand for roofers, carpenters and plasterers is so extraordinary that many weeks will elapse in some instances before work not requiring more than a day or two, will be even commenced. People having buildings under contract for erection, especially rows of flats and dwelling houses designed for renting, are making strenuous efforts to get them completed ahead of time, and for the next few months, and probably a year, there will be an activity in every sense of the word.

Those who had contracts signed for building enterprises prior to last week are exceedingly fortunate, especially when they are protected by bonds to secure the completion of the work.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

NO PURE AIR.

Dust Particles Have Now Been Found on Mountain Tops and in Ocean Winds.

It has always been believed that there could be no dust in the air of midocean, or upon mountain peaks thousands of feet above the sea level, where the snows are eternal. But science has recently demonstrated that such is not the case. It has even gone further than finding dust in these places; it has counted with the utmost accuracy the number of particles in a cubic centimeter, says a writer in the New York Journal.

Dust measurements were made from air over the open ocean and in mountain regions at altitudes from 6000 feet to more than 13,000 feet. On the Bleshorn in Switzerland, which forms a part of the Alpine chain, containing the Rothhorn and Weisshorn, rising about 9000 feet above the Zermatt Valley on its east and some 8000 feet from the Zinal on the west, the observations showed that at an elevation of 6700 feet there were 930 dust particles in a cubic centimeter, which measures a little over a third of an inch. At 8400 feet elevation only 513 dust particles were found and at 13,600 feet above the sea the number diminished to 167 a cubic centimeter.

Over the Indian ocean the average number of dust particles a cubic centimeter was less than 500 for seven out of nine days and on five days was less than 400. During a thick fog in the Atlantic the air was found to contain 3120 dust particles per cubic centimeter, while in the clear region just beyond the fog there were only 280 dust particles in the same space.

Probably even few men of science would be able to tell how these particles could be counted, but a wonderful little instrument has been devised which makes the task an easy one. The dust counter which Mr. Fridlander employs consists of a chamber, into which the air can be introduced, saturated with water vapor. Then it is slightly and quickly cooled. Owing to the fall of temperature condensation takes place on the dust nuclei, which then fall on the micrometer plate at the bottom of the chamber, where they are rendered easily visible for counting by the water layer which coats them.

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He Played Lame and Was Well Named the Artful Dodger.

Some horses are as lazy as some men, and perhaps it would be equally true to say that some horses are as cunning as some men, but not many ever combine the two qualities of laziness and cunningness better than one whose performances are chronicled by Lady Barker. He was one of her horse friends in New Zealand, christened Artful Dodger, says the New York Mercury.

This name was given to him on account of the trick of counterfeiting lameness the moment he was put into the shafts of a dray. That is to say, if the dray was loaded. So long as it was empty, or nearly so, the Dodger stepped out gayly, but if he found it at all heavy he affected to fall dead lame.

More than once, with a new driver, this trick had succeeded to perfection, and the Dodger found himself back again in his stall with a rack of hay before him, while his deluded owner or driver was trying to find a substitute in the shafts.

In order to induce the Dodger to act his part thoroughly a drayman was one day appointed whom the horse had never seen. The moment the signal was given to start the Dodger, after a glance around which plainly said, "I wonder if I might try it on you?" took a step forward and almost fell down, so desperate was his lameness.

The driver, who was well instructed in his part, ran around and lifted up one sturdy foot after another, with every appearance of the deepest concern. Thus encouraged, the Dodger uttered a groan, but still seemed determined to do his best and limped and stumbled a yard or two farther on.

It seemed impossible to believe the horse to be quite sound, but the time had come to unmask him. His master stepped forward, and pulling first one cunning ear on the alert for every word, and then the other, cried:

"It won't do, sir. Step out directly, and don't let us have any nonsense."

The Dodger groaned again — this time from his heart, probably—shook himself, and, leaning well forward in his big collar, stepped out without a murmur.

HUMOROUS.

"But what has become of Jack, your little white dog?"

"This is Jack. As I am in deep mourning I had him colored black. It's more in keeping."—Le Journal Amusant.

Miss Della—What was the highest wind you ever encountered, captain?

Captain Olesalt—Soda water at 25 cents a glass.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

"What became of the Jones boys?" asked the returned native.

"Bill stayed on the farm," said the resident native, "and Ed went to Sioux Falls and opened a law office."

"Oh! One makes hay and the other makes grass widows, eh?"—Indianapolis Journal.

"Where do you dine tonight?"

"I do not dine—and you?"

"Nor do I."

"Very good. Let us dine together."—New York Courier des Etats Unis.

A showman had an announcement stating, "Come and see the great sawed fish." A learned gentleman read it and informed the showman that he had made a mistake in the word "sawed," that it ought to be "sword." "Yer'd better come in an' see fer yerself; the hadmission is only tuppence," said the showman. So the learned gentleman paid his "tuppence," went in and was shown a large codfish sawed in half. "Yer ain't the fust geneiman wot has tried to teach me 'ow to spell," grimmed the showman.—Household Words.

Foreigner—"This may be a free country, but I don't see that the freedom has any effect on the people. Such a patient, meek, subdued lot of humanity I never saw in my life. I should think a freeborn American would act as if he were monarch of all he surveyed."

Native—"Wait until you see a passenger car brakeman who expects soon to be a conductor."—New York Weekly.

STATE NOTES.

Only State producing asphaltum and bituminous rock.

San Francisco the Western gateway of American commerce.

Area set in orange groves, 74,000 acres.

Area set in prune trees, 65,000 acres.

Number of acres of land under irrigation, 3,850,000.

Nearly 5000 miles of railway in the State.

Second largest State in the Union; area 157,801 square miles.

Acquired by the United States, 1847.

Gold discovered January 19, 1848.

First State in value of gold product.

Total value of gold and silver product since 1848, $1,459,500,000.

Most diversified agricultural State in the Union.

Largest producer of honey.

Leading wine producing State.

Only raisin producing State in the Union.

The only State in which the olive thrives.

The home of the orange and the fig.

Leading producer of almonds, walnuts, etc.

Finest climate in the world.

The largest trees in the world.

San Francisco the third commercial city in the United States.

Largest per capita wealth of any State in the Union.

Admitted to the Union September 9, 1850.

Population in 1880, 864,694; in 1890, 1,205,291; in 1895, 1,650,000.

Ranked twenty-second in population in 1890.

Ranked sixteenth in per centage of growth from 1880 to 1890.

San Francisco is the leading whaling port of the world.

San Francisco is the distributing point for nearly 400,000,000 pounds of sugar.

Capital invested in dairies, over $105,000,000.

Total number of milch cows in the State 339,030.

Geographical Lore.

Vienna is 4115 miles from Washington.

Chicago is 900 miles west of New York.

Boston and New York are 217 miles apart.

Tucson, Arizona, is 1638 miles from St. Louis.

Cario is 5848 miles southeast of Washington.

Gibralter is 3150 miles southeast of Washington.

Halifax is 780 miles northeast of Washington.

Honolulu is 4513 miles west of Washington City.

From Washington to Athens, Greece, is 5005 miles.

San Francisco, California, is 3250 miles west of New York.

London is 3315 miles northeast of Washington City.

Copenhagen is 3895 miles distant from Washington.

It is 1077 miles from New York to Jacksonville, Florida.

Jerusalem is 5495 miles east of our National capital.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

Pigs Caught in Traps.

"Young Mr. Vanderbilt is very much averse to having his big estate near Asheville invaded by the swine of his country neighbors," said J. B. Powell, of North Carolina, at the Hotel Page. Until recently, however, he was at a loss to hit on a plan to keep the 'razor-backs' from intruding on his property. He didn't want to kill them outright for fear of incurring lawsuits and maybe the vendetta, which, in the long run, is more troublesome than trial by jury.

"But there are plenty of wildcats and catamounts on the Vanderbilt tract, 90,000 acres of which is almost in a virgin state of forest and mountain, and there was no reason why traps should not be set to catch these wild members of the feline tribe. That the traps were made big enough and strong enough to imprison a wandering hog that was out of his proper territory was no ground for complaint. When the traps were first put in operation they caught a few wildcats, but a great many more porkers. Then it dawned on the owners that it would be better to pen up their swine than to imperil their existence, and so they no longer roam at will over the Vanderbilt demesne."—Washington Post.

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THE CONTRA COSTA ROAD.

Tradesmen Make an Appeal as Regards Insolvent Contractors.

The directors of the Merchants' Exchange held their usual weekly meeting last night at which a number of subjects were discussed.

The chair was occupied by President Witcher and C. P. Visher acted as secretary.

The following communication from a committee of the Oakland Exposition Association was read.

"OAKLAND, June 6.—The undersigned have been instructed by the directors of the Oakland Exposition to cordially invite your valuable assistance in promoting the success of an exposition of the products of this county to be held in Oakland next August.

"The first venture in this direction has been looked upon by many as the inauguration of a new movement for the permanent advancement of local interest. It is an enterprise in which we know all bodies and individuals, working in the interests of Oakland and Alameda County, can consistently co-operate.

"Trusting that you will so consider it and see your way clear to doing a share of the work necessary to make this year's exposition proportionately a greater success than the one held last December, we are yours truly,

"M. J. KELLER,
"THEODORE GIER,
"H. O. TROWBRIDGE,
"Committee Oakland Exposition."

George L. Fish moved that the secretary be instructed to correspond with the Exposition Association and ascertain what that organization wished the Merchants' Exchange to do in the premises.

The motion was put and carried unanimously, but Fred Sinclair said that he had intended to say something before the vote had been taken. He was, however, allowed the floor to speak on the subject.

He was opposed, he said, to doing anything with the communication except to lay it on the table. The proposed Exposition was to be run by a private corporation. The original intention of the undertaking was that the proceeds were to be given to a charitable institution. On that proposition merchants and citizens had stepped in to make the affair a success and it was a success. There had been a profit of $1700 and it had been misappropriated by a private corporation. The affairs of that corporation were no concern of his or the other members of the Exchange. If the profits had been $2000 or $5000 or $10,000 the disposition of them would have been just the same. If the money was to be diverted to charity it would be all right. The exposition should be encouraged. But, as the money was to be diverted to a private corporation, he was opposed to it. That was why the celebration of the Fourth of July had been knocked out, just to make a success of the Exposition. He did not think, however, that the celebration could have been made a success. He could not see any reason why the members of the Exchange should aid in booming the Exposition.

Director Champlin interrupted and asked if it were not the intention of the Exposition Association to establish a permanent exposition.

Mr. Sinclair said that such as he understood it was the intention, if the Exposition should pay. But the present Association had no right to appropriate to itself that $1700 which belonged either to the people or some charity. If they wanted to put that money into a trust fund and add to it from time to time, until they should get money enough with which to erect a permanent exposition building such an idea would be a laudable one.

George L. Fish said that in support of his motion he wished to say in a spirit of fairness that it seemed to be the tendency in Oakland to pull down and decry any enterprise in which they were not directly interested. There were some men in the Exposition Association that he had no use for, and at the same time, there were some very good men there who were disinterested and worthy of assistance. There were some there who were not looking for personal gain. In considering the matter he had come to the conclusion that it would be for the credit of Oakland to have that permanent exposition. If the Exposition managers had pledged the proceeds of the last Exposition to charity he knew nothing about it. He had been invited to become one of the managers and had declined. He differed from some of the managers as to their projects. They had advertised to exhibit only Oakland products. Now, a friend of his (Coward) had a Liverpool salt on hand. That Liverpool salt was made, as he was glad to know in Alameda County. He would say let the Exchange help the Exposition. He moved that the communication be received, and an answer forwarded tendering the Exposition the assistance of the Exchange and asking what the Exchange could do in the premises to make the Exposition a success. Somebody had to get up these affairs. If old 'M. J.' did not do it some other body would.

Fred Sinclair said he was not opposed to any Exposition, but the papers had published coupons for the purpose of ascertaining to what charity the proceeds ought to go. He had been told by Secretary Roeth that he could make an exhibit in the first Exposition because he was dealing in the products of Alameda County, but he had said that he did not want to.

J. F. W. Sohst seconded the motion of Mr. Fish.

George W. Arper said the question had two sides. If the matter had come to be a private enterprise and the funds went to private individuals, there was no reason why the Exchange members should lay awake at nights to help a few private individuals to put money in their pockets. If the Exposition was going to be a concern which would help the city and county along instead of private individuals, then it ought to be encouraged. He thought, however, that the scope of the Exposition was too narrow. He did not think that the display ought to be limited to the products of Alameda County. It was a narrow, contracted and unbusinesslike proposition. The Mechanics' Fair in San Francisco was a different proposition. It was for the purpose of advancing the interests of the projectors. The merchants were not asked to aid in making it a success. If the local exposition is a private affair then it ought to be handled as a private affair. He thought it might be advisable to lay the motion over for two weeks in order that the directors might be able to see what the Exposition Association intended to do in the matter.

Mr. Fish did not press his motion further and the matter was continued for two weeks.

CONTRA COSTA ROAD.

J. F. W. Sohst, of the committee on the proposed road to Contra Costa County, said that at the next meeting of the directors the committee would have a map of the proposed road showing the grade and length and direction of the same up to the summit, through the Medau property. He said also that Mr. Medau wanted to be guaranteed a fence along the road when extended through his property. The route in prospect would be two miles in length. He suggested that E. F. Adams be seen and his permission be secured to allow the road to go through his property. If Mr. Adams should not feel disposed to allow the road to run through his land the Kennedy road might be used, and the deeds to the road, he said, are now available. It would be necessary to know which route would be followed because the Supervisors would not build two roads. The road should be built to the summit and then the Contra Costa people should do the rest. He said that all the members of the Exchange should examine the route for themselves and not leave the matter to the committee. The grade of the Medau road would be in the main 2 per cent, but, in some instances, it would be for a short distance 7 per cent, because it was necessary to avoid the Gibson property. He said further that Mr. Walker had gone to Contra Costa County to see Mr. Grant on the proposed road.

President Witcher said that it was extremely desirous to ascertain the relative length of all the proposed routes and bring the facts before the directors at the next meeting.

D. C. Brown said that the map now in course of preparation would afford the desired information.

A TRADES MATTER.

R. Wland of a committee of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, Oakland Union No. 36, then extended greeting to the Exchange and took occasion to decry dishonest methods used in building trades, which affect honest workmen and as a consequence, affect merchants in a most serious manner. Mr. Wland read an address as follows:

"This, the first visit of a body of men of organized labor to the merchants of this city, is, I believe, a new departure. No one will stop to argue the question that something should be done in the several lines of trade in our city to improve their condition. We will try and confine what we may say largely to the building trade. Every industry touches elbows all along the line and what effects the mechanic effects the merchant and whatever is done to benefit the one the other shares in proportion. In all my experience I have never been in a place where mechanics received a fair compensation for their labor that the merchants did not prosper also. When labor stops everything stops. Now let me deal with a matter of which there is general complaint and, I believe there is not a fair-minded man who does not agree that is is a wrong that should be righted. It is where a man follows a business in a neglectful manner, figures upon a basis on which no man can live and then tries to deal justly with other men in the community. He underbids, cuts down living wages and falls short on the several bills contracted with material men on each job. But he schemes along, taking from one job to help another. Finally, he fails, goes through insolvency, pays 10, 20 or 50 cents on the dollar, gets his legal release and again bobs up ready to repeat the trick, bid in the open market against the man who struggles heroically to meet his obligations, pay his bills as they become due and attempts to be a man among men.

"We are not here to say what we are going to do about this, neither are we here to say what you must do, for the other man must do. But we are here to give utterance to views on some of these matters. We believe a halt should be called and in such a way so that when it is called it will be from a united body of business men in the different avenues of trade who intend to see that this reckless method of doing business shall stop. We believe that there is brain and brawn and grit enough in Oakland to show to the commercial world that Oakland will not be lacking in the endeavor to better her condition, commercially ,socially, and morally. Unless we have a moral standing upon which we can base our community in the different avenues of trade certainly will strive in vain for commercial prosperity. Unless we make an effort in this direction it looks as though we put a premium on this reckless method of doing business. Some of the contractors referred to who do not care whether they pay their just debts or not, dress a good deal better than the average mechanic who makes every endeavor to make ends meet. These matters have been noticed by members of our craft. It is neither plumb, square nor level."

Mr. Wland then gave a number of examples of this reckless underbidding on work and said:

"Merchants will find out the effects later when they fail to make their collections. Every honorable business man and men of every craft of this city and men in every calling from the pulpit to the humblest walks of life we think should join in the clarion call of 'stop.' Let us as men take an account of stock, not of merchandise alone, but honesty, integrity, morality and whatever goes to make men and conditions better. The material with which to do this work is within reach. No land has been more blessed with natural resources, yet the conditions here are anything but what they ought to be in Oakland."

Mr. Wland's address was applauded and called forth quite a discussion.

William Waller said he had just come from the meeting of contractors who had done work on Encinal Hall in Alameda, where F. M. Farwell of this city had done about $900 worth of work, and he himself had done plumbing of about $600 and neither of them had got a cent on the work. He did not see what could be done to remedy things. A man could come here without $500 and get a contract for $10,000. In a certain sense, the owner of the structure was to blame. He generally wanted to get a building up pretty cheap. There was no way to prevent this dishonesty unless merchants refused to let the goods go out of the store.

W. J. Reed, the lumber man, agreed with Mr. Moller that there seemed to be no remedy for the abuse save by refusing to sell goods.

G. W. Arper said that all the merchants are defrauded. A merchant could not be in business six hours without becoming a victim to some deceit. This was largely due to dead beats. Oakland is the promising and favored asylum of the professional dead beat. The beauty, the trees, the sky of the place seem to attract the beat. The dead beat and the professional do-us-up came in here and found that it was a good place to catch suckers. The merchants had been milked and milked and milked until the milk of human kindness had almost been exhausted. Now came the cry of the mechanics. He said that that state of facts showed the necessity of a close union of business men which would require identification on the part of every person seeking credits. If they should insist on identification they would be protected against much loss.

William Moller said he had been trying to get the Plumbers' Union to agree to figure no more on contracts but to give figures to the man who wanted to put up a building. If that could be done and all the trades would do the same thing, all the annoyance complained of would be avoided.

J. S. Wixson said he believed that business men and mechanics had the remedy in their own hands. If the merchants would refuse to sell to a man who had failed and failed to pay less than 100 cents on a dollar, and if the mechanics refused to work for a contractor who took work at losing figures or who could not give a satisfactory bond, a great deal of the evil complained of would be avoided.

W. E. Perreau said that one of the reasons why there was so much fraud in building was because material men gave private and secret underprices to some contractors.

J. F. W. Sohst said that the evil complained of existed because merchants and mechanics did not inquire into the standing of customers before dealing with them.

George L. Fish said the laws of California are wrong. Defrauded mechanics and merchants have no redress. If there could be co-operation of merchants and mechanics, by which a man would have to show his hand before he could receive credit, a great deal of benefit would be experienced. They would have to go to Sacramento to get relief.

R. Wland said they had sent some attorneys to Sacramento to make a lien law as full of holes as a collender. He thought if they would get together there is enough brain, brawn and grit to bring about a remedy. His union was making an effort to get every carpenter in town to join the organization so that if one of the members failed to get his pay the defaulting contractor would not be enabled to get a man to drive an eight-penny nail on another job.

G. L. Fish moved that an invitation be extended to the various trades to attend the next open meeting of the Exchange and discuss the subjects which would insure to the best interests of the merchant, laborer and contractor.

Acting Secretary C. P. Visher reported that the receipts from March 16th to June 9th were $239, and the disbursements $446.32. The balance in the hands of the treasurer was shown to be $82.43.

The report was referred to the Finance Committee.

President Witcher was empowered to select a temporary acting secretary to fill in the time between the retirement of Mr. Visher, who resigned last night, and the return of Welsh N. Pearce three weeks hence.

The directors then adjourned.

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The Democrats and Populists May Combine and Achieve Victory.

Editor Tribune—Sir: Even to the most cursory reader of the daily papers and the most casual observer of the signs of the times, it is apparent that the inevitable trend of public sentiment in this broad land among the masses is toward a change in the money system of our Government, whereby silver as money may be restored to its full function as a medium of exchange, having equal purchasing and debt paying power with gold at a certain fixed ratio. This sentiment is so largely preponderating that it is rapidly crystallizing into action, and it will roll up and into the National Conventions of the several political parties of the country soon to be held, as a mighty, uncheckable, irresistible tidal wave, and that party represented by the delegates deliberating in any of such conventions that does not mount this wave and ride it out before the intelligent masses of this land will surely become engulfed. No barrier can be erected so strong as to withstand its incalculable force.

This sentiment may be a delusion, a dangerous fallacy, an ignis fatuus, a pernicious doctrine, a vicious heresy and all the other dreadful things derogatory for which qualifying phrases are found in the vocabulary of the gold advocates, but the stubborn fact remains that the belief that the free coinage of silver is the one panacea for all our national ills is so deeply, so thoroughly rooted and grounded in the minds of the masses of this country that no amount of logic or sophistry emanating from the opponents of the policy can reasonably be expected to alter the conviction. And right here I would emphasize this point: The people—that is, the masses—have become educated in the school of experience to know this fact, that whatever Governmental policy is for the best interests of the bankers, the money kings, brokers and gamblers, is not best for them, and therefor on general principles they are opposed to the measures or the men upheld and advocated by the former.

Rumors are now rife that there exists a deeply laid plot on the part of the advocates of the gold standard among the bankers and money gamblers of this country and England to defeat the will of the people by the free use of gold as a corruption fund. Not that money is to be used in buying the votes of individuals at the November election, but in buying the people's representatives who sit as delegates in the National Conventions so as to insure a declaration in the platforms promulgated from such conventions opposing the free coinage of silver and advocating either the single gold standard or bimetallism, that latter something that the average man does not understand, and the complexity of which would not be at all simplified or cleared up by the ambiguous phraseology that would be employed to express it. This would be done with the hope that the masses would accept it as the fruit of the concentrated wisdom of their representatives and leaders and would support the ticket of their respective parties, standing on such a platform. To my mind, there never was a greater delusion cherished than this.

Now as to parties: It is self evident that the People's or Populist party will declare for free coinage. It is not much less evident that the Democratic party will do likewise, albeit there is a strong gold following in the ranks of that party. It is nearly as evident that the Republican party will declare for the single gold standard or will indulge in some high sounding, meaningless phrases in its platform concerning "sound money" and keeping the two metals, gold and silver, as money, at a parity, etc., etc. I am a Republican, but I unhesitatingly affirm it as my belief that the Republican party cannot win in the impending contest standing on a gold platform, or a platform in which there is no silver plank, clear, plain, unmistakable, even with Hon. William McKinley surmounting it as the standard bearer waving the white flag of protection. No, sir, this cry of protection as a slogan has not the electrifying effect that it would have were the greater issue not ex sting. Link with this free silver, so that the war cry may be "Free Silver and Protection," then indeed would the people, North, East, South and West, take it up and make the welkin ring with their glad enthusiasm, and the ticket standing as the exponent of these two great principles would provoke a perfect deluge of votes, which would sweep it into power beyond all controversy.

Should the Republican National Convention be dominated and controlled by the gold advocates, and a declaration be made for the continuation of the present money system of the Government, then let it prepare for its defeat, for there will go out from that convention a man strong and mighty as a champion of free silver, Senator Teller of Colorado (and not a few will go with him). At the convention of the National Silver League to be held in the same city on the 2d of July, I believe this man will be taken up and made the nominee for the Presidency on a platform declaring for free silver and protection to American laboring men, not American manufacturers. In the same city, at the same time will be in session the National Convention of the People's party. Between these two deliberative bodies of representative American citizens there will be but little, if any, divergence along the lines of Governmental policy. They will practically amalgamate, and I believe that Senator Allen of Nebraska will be put on the ticket as running mate with Senator Teller, who is strongly indorsed with Populism—and these two fearless, outspoken champions of the people, standing on a people's platform, would constitute a ticket inspiring, electrifying, irresistible, invincible, and would, I believe, draw the votes of the masses in overwhelming numbers, because it would be the people's ticket against the plutocrat's ticket, and, after all, that is really the issue that is to be fought out in this contest.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Harry Melvin is in Santa Cruz.

Robert Smithe is in Fresno.

Mrs. P. J. Harding is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Mowder of Woodland.

Al Francis of this city has gone to San Andreas.

J. C. Boatman left Washington yesterday for Oakland.

J. Rice of this city is in Nevada City.

D. C. Bromwell is in Chico.

Miss Myrtle Cromwell, who has been stopping in this city, has returned to her home in Rocklin.

J. F. Chandler will leave for the East next week.

Mrs. Senator Denison and daughters will leave Monday for Santa Cruz.

Dr. W. F. Lewis and Dr. Russell Cool are in Santa Cruz.

Thomas Whalley is in Santa Cruz.

Mrs. Laura M. Knight and Miss Knight of Vermont, and Mrs. Howard C. Frick of Chicago, are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Meigs.

Mrs. O. G. Heaton has returned from a visit to her parents in Pomeroy, Wash., accompanied by her sister, Miss Jennie Farnsworth.

Mrs. Sarah A. Davis is in Oakland visiting her granddaughters, Mrs. T. T. Dargie and Mrs. F. A. Merritt.

Mrs. G. P. Moore, wife of the manager of the Piedmont Baths, is stopping at the El Monte Hotel, Sausalito, this week.

The engagement is announced of Miss Hester Burr of East Oakland and William Barrows. The wedding will take place July 1st.

Deputy Coroner Henry Queden will leave in a few days for Portland.

Thomas P. Emigh Jr., A. Sutherland, Fred Butterfield, Chas. Smille, Fred and Ed Campbell, Fred Smith, Thos. J. Thompson, Horace Steward, Seymour Phelan and Sidney Mott left this morning for La Honda on a camping expedition. They expect to be absent a month.

Prof. Jules Huegen, the popular manager of Howard Springs, is in town for a few days. He says the springs are enjoying a fine patronage and numbers several prominent Oaklanders among the guests.

ST. MARY'S ALUMNI.

Officers Elected and a Big Time at the Annual Banquet.

The following officers have been elected by St. Mary's College Alumni Association: Frank J. Kierce, class of '82, President; Stephen L. Sullivan, class of '93, Vice President; John E. Richards, class of '87, Secretary, Edward R. Myrick, class of '91, Treasurer. These officers, with T. C. Coughlin '93, Hugh J. McIsaac '96, and Joseph L. Taaffe '96, constitute the Board of Directors of the Association.

The annual alumni banquet was held in Conservatory Hall of the Palace Hotel on the 2nd inst. Quite a large gathering of the graduates were present and an enjoyable evening was passed. Toasts were made by the following: "The Alumni of St. Mary's," F. J. Kierce '82; "Our Alma Mater," Frank J. Murasky '82. "What We Were," John E. Richards '87; "Our College Days," Stephen L. Sullivan '93, "Our Commercial Men," Colonel J. C. O'Connor '77; "Our State," John T. Greaney '80; "Our Future," Peter W. McGlade '88; "The Class of '96," Hugh J. McIsaac '96; The quartette of the class of '96, consisting of John L. Jaunet, Henry J. Swords, Joseph L. Taaffe and J. Henry Long, sang several selections during the evening.

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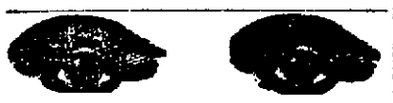
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TO REINSTATE BUNNELL.

Regent Wallace Makes the Initial Move for the Professor.

Final Disposition of the Project to Tax the Students.

At the meeting of the University Regents yesterday, Regent Wallace announced that at the next session he would move to displace Professor Flagg and reappoint Professor Bunnell. The Regent said that Mr. Bunnell was considered an ideal professor and many eminent teachers had borne testimony of his excellence as a teacher.

Judge Wallace continued his advocacy of Professor Bunnell's case by giving Professor Flagg a dig. He said: "Flagg, when poor and friendless, was taken to Professor Bunnell's home, and the fact has now come to light that the movement to displace Bunnell was Flagg's work. I propose now, as an act of justice, that Flagg shall be turned out and Bunnell put in his place."

A proposition to tax students $10 a term for incidentals came up for consideration. Regents Hallidie, Miller, Martin, Marye and Phelps supported the measure, while Regents Wallace, Foote and John E. Budd opposed it vigorously. The proposition was not carried on the roll being called.

The citizens of Berkeley petitioned for an opening to be made in the north side of the college grounds, so that carriages could be permitted to cross. The request was referred to the committee.

The Finance Committee reported in favor of lending $50,000 to James R. Lankershim, taking as a security a mortgage on building and property on the southeast corner of Third and Spring streets, Los Angeles, the property being valued at over $100,000.

Regent Reinstein urged that some steps be taken to award a contract for work on the affiliated colleges before June 30th, in order to prevent the lapse of half the appropriation to the State Treasury. On inquiry it was found that the plans have not been returned from Sacramento and no work can be done until the plans are approved by the Governor, Secretary of State and Treasurer. The Regents discussed the matter thoroughly, Regent Wallace adhered to his previously expressed opinion that the Regents were not governed by the State law bearing on the constructions of buildings and said the Attorney General had been asked for an opinion on the subject. The matter will be discussed further at the next meeting.

Regent Hallidie wanted a test case made of the refusal of the State Printer to do the University printing, but Regent Phelps explained that the Legislature had passed an act requiring State Boards to pay for printing from their various appropriations.

The Regents adjourned to meet Tuesday, two weeks hence.

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A Distinguished Attendance to Participate in the Services.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, June 10.—The funeral of Austin Corbin took place from St. Bartholomew's Church yesterday.

Bishop Williams of Rhode Island officiated, assisted by Rev. R. C. Booth, assistant rector of St. Bartholomew's, and Rev. Dr. W. B. Huntington, rector of Grace Church.

The church was crowded with relatives and friends.

There was an unusual number of handsome floral offerings sent by the many friends of the railroad magnate. Bishop Williams paid a high tribute to Mr. Corbin's memory and alluded to the many enterprises in which he was so engaged at the time of his death.

The pallbearers were Cornelius Vanderbilt, W. E. Chandler, Sir Roderick Cameron, Gen. B. F. Tracey, Dumont Clarke, J. Rogers Maxwell, Chas. M. Pratt, Jr., G. K. Duer, A. N. Parlin and W. B. Kendall. The body was taken to Woodlawn on a special train and placed in the family vault which was built by Mr. Corbin a year ago.

SPAIN WANTS WAR.

That Is the Opinion of Correspondent James Creelman.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

CHICAGO, June 10.—A special to the Chronicle from Springfield, O., says:

James Creelman, the war correspondent who had to leave Cuba recently by orders of General Weyler, says he thinks there will be a war with Spain.

He says the American people will be thunderstruck when the documents in possession of the State Department are made public.

Spain is anxious for war.

Twenty-five million dollars' worth of American property has been destroyed in Cuba and many Americans killed without provocation.

A SUFFRAGE CONVENTION.

The State Association to Hold a Session Here This Week.

The Suffrage Convention of the State Suffrage Asociation will be held at the Tabernacle on Friday and Saturday of this week. There will be two sessions each day, at 3 P.M. and 8 P. M.

Rev. Anna Shaw will be present at all the meetings as will also Miss Hay, Miss Mills, Rev. Mrs. Wilkes and some local speakers.

There will be no admittance fee and a general invitation is issued to the public. Oakland ladies who desire to contribute flowers and ferns are requested to do so before 9 o'clock Friday morning.

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AUSTRIA AND CRETE.

The Minister of Foreign Affairs Explains How They Stand.

It Is Understood That Annexation Is Not Sought by Greece.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

NEW YORK, June 10.—A special to the Herald from Vienna says:

In an address to the Austrian delegation Count Goluchowsky, Minister of Foreign Affairs, explained the foreign policy of the Government, in the course of his remarks declaring that the situation in Crete was of such a character that it was impossible to say what would happen next.

The condition of things prevailing in the island, he said, was due to the maladministration of public affairs by the Turkish authorities.

Turkey, he added, ought to take measures in her European and Asiatic provinces which would justify confidence in the vital forces of the Ottoman Empire, otherwise he said Turkey's best friends, including Austria, would be unable to prevent the empire's fall.

In an inspired article which appears in the Weiner Tageblatt, according to news emanating from Constantinople, the Porte is said to apprehend that there will be further complications in connection with the rising in Crete. We do not here think so. The news from Constantinople as from Athens is unreliable. In Constantinople they are said to fear that Greece wishes to annex Crete, and that Russia and France will help.

The Greeks say they absolutely do not wish to annex Crete. Greece has sent out a memorial to foreign Ministers which asks other powers to plead with Turkey that order may be restored in the island. All the powers approached Turkey in that direction. Thus it is wrong that in Constantinople they should seek to place the responsibility on Greece. Russia has intervened in a most energetic manner, and it is interesting to know that Germany has decided to act with Russia. The Austrian Embassy acted in the liveliest manner so as to influence Turkey. She should reestablish order in Crete and give many reforms.

This, of course, as the editor of the paper remarks, is highly important, as every one knows nowadays that Russia rules Turkey's foreign policy.

The editor of the Neue Freie Presse said that to him the Cretan question has left its acute form and fallen into the range of diplomacy. That question was a serious one, for if England had demanded reforms Russia would have to go with her against Turkey. Turkey's only plan was to give way.

At the office of the Fremdenblatt the foreign editor insisted, as did others, that it was unfair to say that England had stirred up the Cretan insurrection. It could not, according to him, be even retained as reasonable, for England had absolutely nothing to gain thereby. The Armenian question has been easily settled. The Cretan question is a trifle in comparison. Austria would uphold her colleagues. He said they were all as one. He looked upon the question as one purely of local growth. Matters are in a fearful condition in Crete, and large quantities of guns are being sent from Greece.

The Neue Freie Presse has received the following from its special correspondent at Athens:

"I met some newly arrived refugees at the Piraues this morning. They say that on Friday and Saturday fighting took place at Amigadolo, when 150 Turks were killed or wounded in Canea.

"In consequence excitement is again becoming great. A Turkish warship bombarded several coast villages and more Christian villages have been burned."

A POPULAR PLACE.

Blair Park Will Have First Class Attractions Next Sunday.

Blair Park has taken on new life this season. After the burning of the Piedmont Springs Hotel that section of the county dropped back a few pegs as a popular resort, but it has come to the front again this year with an unexpected rush and is now far ahead of what it ever was. This is due to the enterprise and excellent management of Ira D. Bishop and his able superintendent, Mr. Tiffany, both of whom have labored well and earnestly to build up the big business that road is now enjoying.

The Sunday attractions are now the talk of the town. Each week there has been a balloon ascension and stage performance and next Sunday this is to be eclipsed, for at an enormous expense a famous French female aeronaut will make a parachute jump and Gilbert and Goldie, two of the cleverest comedians on the coast, will be among the other entertainers.

The bear that is at the park as the starter of the menagerie it is proposed to place there will soon be in less cramped quarters. Plans have been prepared for a big pit for it and it will soon be able to deport itself as in his native lairs.

A School Social.

The graduating class of the B seventh grade of the Lafayette School arranged for a surprise to their teacher, Miss Josie Lemmon, at the class rooms, on Tuesday afternoon last. The class upon graduation will be transferred to either the Cole or Lincoln School, and to show the kindly feeling towards their teacher, with whom they had been associated for a year, determined upon this method of expressing it. A committee consisting of Florence A. Britton, Emma Covert, Emily Chickering, Selma Halliday and Selma Brink, arranged a luncheon, which was participated in by the entire class. Kind words of regret at parting from the schoool were expressed by the scholars and reciprocated by the teacher. It is pleasurable to note the happy relations existing between teacher and scholar in the Grammar Schools, as expressed by such efforts of scholars, and it is one of the keystones that hold them together, many teachers watching the progress of their pupils in after life as carefully and in many cases more carefully than parents do. The following were present: Milly Beeby, Florence Burpee, Viola Perkins, Anna Koonzie, Sadie Nelson, Mary Brice, Maud Lawlor, Ella Gladstone, Milly Holliday, Josephine Dewand, Blossom Wilcox, Alice Barnett, Pearl Bedbury, Lillie Bowie, Stella Small, May Coles, May Renton, Emily Arlett, Gertie Campbell, Ada Coffee, Hazel Yenxa, Minnie Huber, Emma Gooch, Eva Higgins, Nellie Warren, Una Connell, Martin Fibush, Luther McLean, Harvey Lyon, Lewis Wolner, Alvin Powell, Mervyn Samuels, James Irwin, Charles Bruce, Clarence Haines, Roswell Beeby, Athol Coles.

Teachers to Meet.

There will be a meeting of the Alameda County Teaches' Benefit Association on Saturday next at 10 A. M. at the Oakland High School building.

DR. PARKHURST'S PLANS.

He Will Take No Part in the Presidential Campaign.

The Municipal Elections, Though, Will Find Him on Hand.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, June 10.—The Herald this morning says:

The Rev. Dr. Chas. H. Parkhurst and his wife will leave the city today on the steamship Germanic.

They will go to London and Paris, where they will stop for a short while, after which they will visit Vevey, Lake Geneva, where the doctor has a cottage and then go to the higher mountains of Switzerland.

In an interview he said he would take no interest in the coming Presidential campaign, but the time was ripe when steps should be taken to make preparation for the first municipal elections of the Greater New York in the campaign of 1897.

After reviewing the local situation, Dr. Parkhurst said in conclusion:

"It ought to be understood by us all at this early date that there is a terrific conflict in store for us between now and November 2, 1897. The ranks of decency and the Tammany hordes of indecency are going to be marshalled in deadly array.

"The autumn of 1897 will be hotter than that of 1894. The Presidential flurry so fills the air at first that plans of the municipal campaign will hardly be drawn prior to the end of next autumn. But there is among all classes of people anxious and determined anticipation of events that are to come that is already beginning to knit up in solidity in the lax fiber of men's thoughts and purposes.

"No city ever had a greater opportunity than is going to be ours at our next county election. Big as was the stride that was made two years ago there are yet larger opportunities open before us in the two years that are to come.

"There has been a tremendous gain since the election of Strong and Goff, which, if discreetly and honestly managed and availed of, may be made to conduce to a gain of far finer and grander proportion. Concertedness of righteous civic purpose during the next sixteen months may make 'bossism' a lost art in this city and make a Tammany a doleful and fatal memory."

Dr. Parkhurst said he would not preach while on his tour, nor would he attend any religious assemblies.

A BRAVE POLICEMAN.

Cool-Headedness and Nerve Saved Twenty Lives.

A Dangerous Climb and Then He Lifted Them Down.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BOSTON, June 10.—Wm. Graham, a big strapping policeman of the South End precinct, is the hero of the hour in Boston. He was walking along Washington street, off duty at the time, when a fire broke out in a big five-story block and his presence of mind and bravery saved the lives of twenty young women.

Plumbers at work on the third floor had carelessly left a lighted candle close to the woodwork and the fire thus started spread with great rapidity and there were nearly forty men and women employed in Woods' printing office and their escape by way of the stairs was entirely cut off by the flames.

They crowded around the windows on the Washington street end of the building.

Their only chance to escape appeared to be to jump to the ground, sixty feet below, the firemen not having reached the scene.

Then it was that Patrolman Graham rushed into the adjoining building and going to the third floor, climbed out upon the broad stone sill of the window nearest the burning building.

That brought him to within a few feet of the windows filled with frantic women. He told them to creep along the sill and he would rescue them.

It required a large amount of courage to hang over the street with the only chance of a footing of about three inches of wet stone trimming, but they ventured one at a time and the strong arms of Patrolman Graham soon were upon them and he lifted them down into a place of safety.

In this manner nearly twenty made their escape before the firemen arrived and the crowd sent up a cheer.

"Wonderful World," Friday night, Y. M. C. A.

WIND AND RAIN.

The Elements Play Havoc at Newark, New Jersey.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, June 10—Bulletin—A violent wind and rain storm visited Newark, N. J., last night and did damage amounting to fully $15,000.

At 8 P. M. the wind and rain swept everything before them and traffic was at a standstill for half an hour. Shanties were wrecked and many farm buildings damaged.

Water covered 200 acres and it was impossible to approach the settlements on the meadows. Lightning made havoc with factories, but only one fire was reported.

Lightning struck the roof of the big Harrison leather factory in New York avenue and a stock of finished and unfinished leather was burned. Several naptha tanks exploded and it was expected that the entire factory would be swept away.

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It is really a valuable medicine—it is used by many Physicians.—*Boston Traveller.*

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ECKELS ON FINANCES.

The Controller of Currency on the Silver Issue.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, June 10.—James H. Eckels, Controller of the Currency, arrived in the city yesterday. Mr. Eckels denied that he was here on any political mission.

"It looks now as if the free silver faction will control the convention. As to whether it will gain the election, well, that is a different matter. The epidemic has been so strengthened by the action of the State Conventions of Kentucky, Indiana and Ohio that it is useless to deny that the free silver people have the controlling power of the party. Still, several weeks must elapse before the convention; political history is made in a short time in this country, and there's many a slip."

When asked his opinion as to the prospects of a bolt in the convention, the Controller said:

"I don't hear so much talk about a split up among the sound money men as reports would seem to indicate. It seems that all such talk emanates from the camp of the opposing factions—the silver men—rather than from the faction which is expected to bolt."

ONLY ONE CONTEST.

The Democratic National Body Is Starting Out Well.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 10.—Secretary Sherrin of the Democratic National Committee said last night there was only one contest as yet before the committee.

This is the Nebraska delegation. Notice of a contest in Colorado has also been received.

Mr. Sherwin says the Secretary's duties in making the roll of delegates is only ministerial, the committee deciding as to who has a prima facie case.

Concerning the temporary Chairman of the convention, he said the names of ex-Governor Francis of Missouri, Senator Hill of New York and Hugh C. Wallace of Tacoma, Wash., had been suggested, though the committee had done nothing as yet. He says free silver will control the convention and will select the permanent Chairman.

YALE'S CLASS BOOK.

Seventy-Seven Members Will Practice in the Courts.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 10. — The most elaborate Yale class book ever published at the University has just been issued.

It says that New York retains the honor of sending more men to the class than any other State, her representatives being 77; Connecticut second with 65.

Over 100 preparatory schools are represented in the class, Andover leading with 35. Whist is voted the favorite class drink.

Seventy-seven members will study law, and twelve men have made up their minds to be President of the United States. Five will enter the ministry, fourteen will teach, and about eighty-nine will go into business.

No Go Here.

No organization of a branch of Ballington Booth's Volunteers of America, the seceding wing of the Salvation Army, was affected at the meeting held last evening at Asbury M. E. Church. It was thought that Ballington Booth had a large number of sympathizers here, but when E. C. Veeder, an officer in the Volunteers, endeavored to obtain signatures to the roll, there was no response in the audience.

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7:33 a	Martinez, San Ramon, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa	6:45 p
8:27 a	Los Angeles Express, Raymond (for Yosemite), Santa Barbara and Los Angeles	4:09 p
9:37 a	Martinez and Stockton	10:14 a
2:01 p*	Port Costa and way stations	*7:14 p
4:24 p	Martinez, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano and Santa Rosa	8:46 a
4:26 p	Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	10:10 a
5:37 p	New Orleans Express, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East	9:00 a
5:37 p	Santa Fe Route, Atlantic Express for Mojave and East	9:00 a
6:36 p	European Mail, Ogden and East	9:10 a
7:36 p†	To Vallejo	8:10 a
7:36 p	Oregon Express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	7:14 p
		10:14 a

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Leave	From February 2, 1896.	Arrive
9:10 a	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Red Bluff and Oroville	3:33 p
9:10 a'	Peters and Milton	6:33 p
3:40 p	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	8:07 a
5:10 p	Niles, San Jose, Livermore and Stockton	6:23 p
6:40 p	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7:07 a

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Leave	From March 22, 1896.	Arrive
6:35 a§	To Melrose, Seminary Park, Fitchburg, San Leandro and Haywards.	6:33 a
7:36 p		8:08 p
8:36 p		9:03 p
9:36 p		10:08 p
11:61 p*		*11:18 p
Via First Street, from Broadway.		
8:36 a	To Melrose, Seminary Park, Fitchburg, San Leandro and Haywards.	9:09 a
9:36 a		10:11 a
10:36 a§		11:11 a
11:36 a§		12:11 p
2:36 p		1:11 p
3:36 p		4:11 p
4:36 p		6:09 p
6:41 p		8:40 p
6:05 p		7:15 p

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3:15 p'	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations	*11:20 a
4:15 p	Newark, San Jose and Los Gatos	9:45 a
7:45 p†	Santa Cruz, etc.—For San Jose, Santa Cruz and way stations	†7:00 p

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General Notes of Happenings in the University Town.

BERKELEY, June 10.—The students of the High School gave a very creditable performance last evening in Shattuck Hall of Mrs. Burton Harrison's farce, "Two Strings to Her Bow." The play was an innovation in the usual programme of Class Day exercises. The stage was charmingly decorated in lilac and white. Previous to the rising of the curtain a short literary and musical programme was given.

The play was under the charge of Instructor Maybeck. The cast of characters was as follows: "Monsieur Dumesnil," A. F. Hughes; "Madame Dumesnil," May M. Howell; "Cécile," Stella M. West; "Monsieur Coudray," R. S. Hasselting; "Alphonse de Laceval," Mark H. White; "Baptiste," Carlton H. Parker; country girls, Alice P. Steedman, Daisy M. Clark, Lulu T. Frame, Fannie E. Tyrrell, Grace A. Tyrrell, Viola M. Gage, Alice Stewart, Ella Roberts, Jennie Ellison, Lucy W. Dewing, Charlotte A. Berley.

The graduating exercises will be held Thursday evening in Shattuck Hall.

Just before the curtain rose an electric light globe exploded behind the stage and severely injured Miss Elsie Thompson, who was standing near. Miss Thompson's face and hands were badly cut.

DR. NORRIS' FUNERAL.

The funeral of Dr. H. F. Norris, the Baptist missionary, took place yesterday from the family residence on Vine street. Rev. Tong Kit Hing, pastor of the Chinese Baptist Church in San Francisco, who was a friend of Dr. Norris, conducted the services, assisted by Rev. Dr. W. T. Jordan of Alameda and Rev. Robert Whittaker of East Oakland. The remains were interred in Mountain View Cemetery.

THE DEATH RATE.

A curious mistake was made yesterday in the report of Berkeley's death rate. It was printed as 19½ per 100 and should have been 19½ per 1000.

CRESCENT CLUB ENTERTAINMENT.

The Crescent Athletic Club will give an entertainment the latter part of this month. In addition to the regular musical and literary programme a farce will be presented.

BATH HOUSES TO BE BUILT.

Bath houses will probably be erected very soon on the West Berkeley beach near the organ factory. The beach is sandy, and the water is generally clear and warm. The brush and weeds have been cleared away, and work on the buildings began today.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

Marshal Lloyd arrested John Siegel yesterday for cruelty to animals.

Miss Annie McCleave entertained the Seniors of the High School at a dancing party in Shattuck Hall Monday evening.

Chester B. Funald, a well known writer for the Century Magazine, is stopping in Berkeley prior to his departure for Alaska.

The Oriole Athletic Club has decided to disband its baseball club. The junior members of the club will give a field day Saturday.

WEST OAKLAND NEWS.

Great Interest Being Taken in the Baseball Boom.

Burglars Pay McCarthy a Visit and Take Some Souvenirs.

WEST OAKLAND, June 10.—Work on the new Baseball grounds at Nineteenth and Peralta streets has been commenced. The work is being pushed with vigor and the men will be kept at work continuously as the management is anxious to have the grounds in readiness for Next Sunday's game between the Saturday Press Nine of West Oakland and the Pacifics of San Francisco. In the morning the Acme and Reliance teams may play if a match can be arranged between them.

William Walsh, the enterprising merchant and also a great enthusiast of the National game, is superintending the work on the grounds.

BROWN'S BENEFIT.

The friends of H. Brown, an employee of the Door Factory on Wood street, turned out in force Saturday night to assist in making his benefit a success. The affair took place in Hansen's Hall. The evening's programme consisted of a musical and literary entertainment, which was followed by dancing. Two boxing bouts were held, one of which was between James Coyne of the Acme Club and Moulton of the Oakland Club. Both were very tame, neither boxer striking very hard. Chief Lloyd with Sergeant Hodgkins and Officers Hammerton and Cortage were on hand to see that the boxers kept within the restrictions of the law but their presence was not necessary, as neither pugilist exhibited any intention of trying to finish his opponent. Brown gave a song and dance and Professor Swasey played a banjo solo which was greatly appreciated. The benefit is said to have netted Brown $52. The affair was in every way a success and every one was pleased.

BURGLARY AT M'CARTHY'S.

Early yesterday morning burglars forced an entrance into Daniel F. McCarthy's saloon at Fourteenth and Kirkham street and after ransacking nearly everything in the place they only secured some crackers and cheese which was used for free lunch and a couple of bottles of beer. Fortunately Mr. McCarthy left no money in the till because the combination was broken which was evidence that the marauders had searched it. The matter has been reported to the police.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

TUESDAY, June 9, 1896.

Maud A. and Alonzo N. Clark to Rosa A. Stone, wf Horace M., NW-15th st 170 W Peralta st W 25 x N 112, blk 727, map of tract 382 of Whitcher's map of Oakland, $700.

C. E. and Mary F. Stevens et al., by commissioner, to Citizens' Building and Loan Association, S Seward st 160 E Cedar st E 30 x S 135, being lot 13, blk 706, map of Gibbons property, $1429.

Alonzo L. Todd to S. A. Green, com at N cor lot 3, blk A, lands Old View Hd Assn, th SE 125 SW 30 to center, said lot 3, th NW to SE Walsworth st to a pt 25-6 SW from pt of beg, th NE 25-6 to beg, except that ptn conveyed to city of Oakland for opening Walsworth av, being ptn lot 3, blk A, lands of Old View Hd Assn, $10.

J. N. Williams to Mary E. Jones, com at a stake on W side Claremount av 112.92 from the intersection of Claremount av and Norris st, th S 105.10 W 102 N 101 E 102.92 SE 50.92, th at right angles with Claremount av 50.92 to beg, also a narrow strip 7 feet wide from E ½ lot 10, being lot 11 and ptn lot 10, blk F, Claremount av tract, $2000.

James and Mary Attridge to Mary Gardiner, W Broadway 50 S from SE cor lot 11 map of sub of ½ acre lots Hays & Caperton tct, S50x W 140.2, being ptn lot 45, map of sub ½ acre lots in Hays & Caperton tract, $10.

E. and Margaret Kuerzel to John Johnson, lot 1 blk 751, Levy and Lane tract, $10.

Manuel C. Afonco to Belma C. Afonco, lots 10, 11, 15 to 19, blk J, amended map Moss tract; lot 50, map of Smith's sub San Leandro, $10.

I. E. and Annie E. White et al., by commissioner, to Encinal Building and Loan Association, S Prescott st 97 E Prospect av E 55.84 S 108.92 W 35 N 116.44 to beg, being lot 7, blk E, Daly tract $2053.

James E. and Matilda A. Daly et al., by commissioner, to same, NE Prospect av and 12-16th st N 40 x E 150, being lot 1, blk C, same, $2500.

F. A. and Lottie Webster to George M. H. Gray, SE 10th av 600 NE 12-24th st NE 100 x SE 150.90, being lots 7 and 8, Gray's Bonnie View tract, $10.

Robert H. and Belle Gans to Lizzie M. Holmes, lots 32 and 34, blk R, resub ptn R berts & Wolf-hill tract, $10.

H. M. H. and Johanne M. Kaarsberg to Citizens' Building and Loan Association, SE 18th av 75 NE Summer st NE 37-6 x SE 100, ptn Locksley Square tract, $10.

G. L. C. G. and Louise C. A. Moller to Frederick Senram, N Fairview st 214.45 E Telegraph av E 46.39 x N 88.17, being lot 18, Moller tract, $10.

H. F. and Mary E. Laumeister et al., by commisioner, to Mary A. Ryan, N Wallace av or 45th st 713.24 E San Pablo av E 40 x N 151.57, being the W 40 ft lot 30, Coggeshall tract E of San Pablo av, $1422.

Margaret Ryan to Stephen Keyes, S 37th st 115 W Market W 30 x S 100, being lot 14, blk B, Evoy property, $10.

Philip Teare to Annie Teare, lots 29 and 30, blk 6, Antisell tract, gift.

Union Savings Bank to Mary Simpson, lot 4, map of the Twitchell tract, $10.

Matilda A. Daly, wf James E., to Bridget Dooley, lots 17 and 18, map of Santa Fe tract, $10.

H. C. Norris to Charlotte Gray, NE Mountain View av and Sunnyside st E 110 x N 150, lots 103 and 104, blk 24, Warner tract, $10.

Tatlow Jackson to Emily R. Jackson, 4.25 acres beg at a fence post near the NW cor Samuel Silva's barn, th NE 5.70 chs NE 4.18 chs SE 5.18 chs SW 10.60 chs NW 2.90 chs NW 75 links to beg, gift.

S. A. and Effie J. Newell to County of Alameda, beg at a pt on line div lands of Laughlin and lands of Newell S 16.22 chs from ¼ sec corner standing on line div Secs 13 and 14, Tp 2 S, R 4 E, th NE 5.40 chs N 2.04 chs NE 7.56 chs NE 2.70 chs NE 2.45 chs NE .30 ch th .93 ch to beg, for road purposes, grant.

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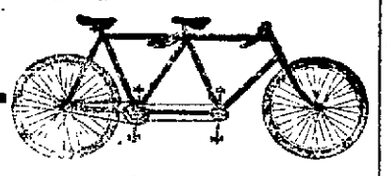

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Proposals for Supplies.

For the County of Alameda, State of California. Required by the Various Departments of the County Government.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County at the board rooms in the annex to the Hall of Records in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock M., on Monday, June 22, 1896, (at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of the bidders) for furnishing and delivering at such times and in such places and in such quantities as may be required, supplies for the Alameda County Infirmary, the various departments of the County Government, Hall of Records, at the County Jail and Receiving Hospital of the County of Alameda, consisting of fish, drugs and chemicals, stationery, etc., wood and coal, groceries, provisions, etc., drygoods, clothing, etc., meats, etc., fruit, and vegetables, from date of contract to June 30th, 1897 inclusive, as per specifications and provisions of schedules to be furnished by the Clerk of this Board, adopted by this Board this day, and according to the conditions and requirements in such schedules contained. The County of Alameda through the Board of Supervisors, reserves the right to use in the several departments of the County Government greater or less quantities than enumerated in the proposals and schedules should the public interests so require, bids to be awarded to the person whose bid is the lowest in the aggregate on each schedule.

The Board of Supervisors also in considering said bids reserves the right to accept or reject all or any of them or accept a part of any bid or proposal presented. Samples of all staple articles are to be presented for examination by the Board of Supervisors at the board room, the same to be properly marked with name of bidder and schedule number.

All supplies and materials furnished to be subject to the approval of the department ordering the same and to the satisfaction of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County. No bid will be considered unless made upon said schedules nor unless accompanied by certified check payable to the order of Frank C. Jordan, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, certified to by some responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than 10 per cent of the aggregate amount of the proposal or proposals which it accompanies.

Said check to be forfeited to the County of Alameda, as agreed and liquidated damages, should the party or parties to whom the contract shall be awarded fail to enter into the contract within ten (10) days after the award or fail to give a bond required by the Board for the faithful performance of the contract. Payment for all supplies will be made in the manner prescribed by the Legislature of the State of California. All bids must be inclosed in sealed envelopes, addressed to the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, and be endorsed on the envelopes furnished by the Clerk, "Proposals for furnishing supplies for the County of Alameda, required by the various departments of the County Government," giving the general name and number as on the schedules or as otherwise provided in schedules.

Dated, June 3, 1896.

HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman Board of Supervisors Alameda County, California.
(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

Assessor's Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax Notice.

Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Oakland, Mar. 2nd, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax for two dollars each for the year 1896 is now due and payable at my office, Room One, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3829 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

Then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 455 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his Deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

The same laws apply to the collection of Road Poll Tax as to the collection of State Poll Tax.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

Oakland, Mar. 2nd, 1896.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 15th, 1896, a statement under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1896,

in accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629 Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars, and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 15th, 1896, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1896.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

The undersigned offers at private sale the entire stock of drugs, chemicals, fixtures, etc., formerly used in the business conducted by C. A. Seifert at No. 932 Seventh street, Oakland, California.

Said property is open for inspection on the premises at Oakland where the inventory of said property can be seen.

Sealed bids for said property as a whole are solicited, to be addressed and delivered to the undersigned care of H. L. Smith, Secretary of the Board of Trade of San Francisco, No. 202 Market street, San Francisco, on or before the 19th day of June, 1896, at 12 M.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for 10 per cent of the amount bid.

Right reserved to reject any and all bids.

Terms, cash in United States gold coin.

Sale subject to confirmation of Court.

If adequate bids are not received by said assignee at private sale, he will on the 22nd day of June, 1896, at 11 A. M., on the premises in Oakland, sell said property at public auction to the highest and best bidder.

Dated June 8th, 1896.

L. GUGGENHIME,
Assignee of C. A. Seifert, an Insolvent Debtor.

LEGAL.

NOTICE TO VOTERS!

REGISTRATION

Office of the County Clerk,
Alameda Co., State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, State of California, held on the 13th day of January, 1896, it was ordered that the Clerk of said County make a new and

COMPLETE REGISTRATION

Of the voters of said County, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1094 of the Political Code of the State of California, that said registration commence on the 17th day of February, 1896, and continue until 55 days before the next General Election, to-wit, to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Now, therefore, this is to give notice, that in pursuance of said order, said new registration will commence on the 17th day of February, 1896, and continue to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavits for registration may be sworn to before any Deputy County Clerk in the different towns and precincts of the County, or any Deputy County Assessor, without charge. Affidavits can also be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public. All naturalized citizens who have not been registered before must present papers when applying for registration.

The office of the County Clerk, at the Hall of Records, Oakland, Cal., will be open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. and from 7:30 p. m. to 9 p. m. for the accommodation of voters. All citizens are notified to apply for registration at once.

Notice is given that after the filing of affidavits and when names are entered on the Great Register, postal cards will be sent to each citizen of the date of such entry. If postal is not received, voters should ascertain at once for his own protection the reason why.

Feb. 17th, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN,
County Clerk.
(Seal.)

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

PACIFIC COAST SAVINGS SOCIETY (a corporation), Plaintiff, vs. HARRIET A. BOVYER ET AL., Defendants. No. 11,606.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda of the State of California, on the 6th day of June, A. D. 1896, in the above entitled action, wherein Pacific Coast Savings Society, a corporation, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Harriet A. Bovyer, alias Hattie Bovyer, and Harriet A. Bovyer executrix of the last will and testament of E. A. Bovyer, deceased, defendants, on the 27th day of May, A. D. 1896, for the sum of twelve hundred and twelve and 96-100 dollars, in United States gold coin, besides interest and costs, which said decree was, on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1896, recorded in Judgment Book 20 of said Court, at page 532, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the northern line of Thirtieth street distant thereon 165 feet easterly from the eastern line of Market street and running thence easterly and along the said line of Thirtieth street 50 feet, thence northerly parallel with Market street 140 feet, thence westerly parallel with Thirtieth street 50 feet, and thence southerly parallel with Market street 140 feet to the place of beginning, being lot No. 33 in block No. 263½, as the same is delineated and so designated on the plat entitled "Map of the Rowland Tract, Oakland," etc., filed on February 16th, 1878, in the County Recorder's office of said Alameda County.

Public notice is hereby given that on

THURSDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF JULY, A. D. 1896,

At ten o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, June 8, 1896.

W. S. HARLOW,
A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
VINCENT NEALE, Attorney for Plaintiff, Chronicle Building, San Francisco.

NOTICE OF ELECTION OF TRUSTEES Reclamation District No. 82.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County and State of California, made on the 18th day of May, 1896, an election will be held on the 29th day of June, 1896, for the purpose of electing three Trustees for Reclamation District No. 82, in the County of Alameda and State of California. The polls for the holding of such election are hereby located at Riverside Hotel, in Alvarado, County of Alameda State of California, and the polls shall be kept open from the hours of ten A. M. until four P. M. of said day.

For the purpose of conducting said election, J. L. Beard has been appointed Inspector and Phil Rohrbacher and B. F. Barton have been appointed Judges of said election, each of the above named persons appearing by the records of the County of Alameda to be landholders in said Reclamation District.

Dated this 18th day of May, 1896.

(Seal) HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman Board of Supervisors of Alameda County and State of California.
Attest: Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.
Department No. 2.
In the matter of Walter A. Muller, an insolvent debtor.

Walter A. Muller, an insolvent debtor, having applied to this Court for a discharge from his debts and liabilities:

It is hereby ordered, that the Clerk of this Court give notice to all creditors who have proved their debts, to appear before this Court, at the Court-room thereof, on the 7th day of July, 1896, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., and show cause, if any they have, why the said Walter A. Muller should not be discharged from his debts, in accordance with the statutes in such cases made and provided, and from all liabilities.

It is further ordered, that notice of said application be given to the creditors by publication of a copy of this order for four weeks in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper published in said county, and by mailing copies thereof to the creditors who have proved their debts. The order of notice to creditors heretofore made and filed this day on petition for final discharge is hereby revoked and set aside.

Dated June 4th, 1896.

W. E. GREENE,
Judge of the Superior Court.
Endorsed: Filed June 4, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, County Clerk.
By G. C. WOODBUM, Deputy Clerk.

SPORTING NEWS

The National Game Suddenly Takes a Big Spurt.

LEAGUES BEING ORGANIZED.

Oakland Will Have a Good Chance for the Pennant.

NEWS OF THE LOCAL CLUBS.

Yachting, Cycling, Shooting and Other Outdoor Attractions.

The Wallace Cup Race of the California Yacht Club will take place on Sunday the 21st

Oakland will have a professional baseball nine at last. J. Leonard will be the captain.

Arrangements are finally completed for new ball grounds for the Oakland players.

The Reliance shooters are making excellent scores.

THE UMPIRE.

The old saying "either a feast or a famine" is particularly applicable just at present in baseball circles in California. But a short month ago baseball was dead. Now, however, there are two full fledged leagues in the field, and each of them has much good talent. The combination of clubs which plays weekly on the Presidio diamond has opened its season in good shape, while the California League, if established a little later, starts out none the less auspiciously.

In this latter league Oakland is most interested, for a club will represent this city's honors. Other nines will come from San Jose, Sacramento, Stockton and San Francisco. All the games will take place on the new grounds in San Francisco, located Sixteenth and Folsom streets, though if Oakland had a suitable place it might have been favored also.

The Oakland nine is under the captaincy of J. W. Leonard, who as well plays first base. Leonard is one of the best ball players on the coast and is eminently fitted for the responsible position he holds. As first base for the Los Angeles Club during the league games of '94, he added honors to his long record of successes, and with other teams he was looked upon as a star. Personally, Leonard is a "good fellow" and has the happy faculty of not only gaining the confidence of his men, but of retaining it. Under his leadership the Oakland Club should come well to the front, if, indeed, it does not take first place.

Saturday Captain Leonard was in Oakland looking over the field and getting posted as to the whereabouts of the best material for the make-up of his nine here. He intends as far as possible to select his players from the talent on this side of the bay, and with that end in view will give Oakland the preference in every way. Already he has his eye on some of the crack men, and before many days have passed it is pretty certain some contracts will be signed. Oakland's "mascot" came along with him. This time it is a clever little cocker spaniel pup. During all the games the dog will be in evidence, and it is bound to be the pet of the club, as it is of its owner.

In speaking of the new league and the baseball situation generally, Mr. Leonard said

"There is no reason why the Oakland nine should not be the prize winner. I have heard some excellent reports of the Oakland ball players, and if it lies within my power the boys arrayed under Oakland colors will carry the day. Already a few of us have been at work this year. Under the name of the Oakland League we beat the Santa Cruz Club on its diamond by a score of 17 to 3, while the San Franciscos we shut out to the tune of 4 to 0. This is a pretty good showing, and then our team was decidedly incomplete. Now all we need is to have the Oakland people wake up just a little and help us along—just give us some encouragement and we will do the rest. If victory does not perch on Oakland's banner, it will not be because we did not do our best."

The San Francisco diamond, when completed, will be a model one in every respect. Already it is one of the best in the State, but the management wants to have the finest, so much extra work is being done.

The Umpire received the following letter from Captain Leonard, which is self explanatory:

"I now send you some of the names of the Oakland Baseball Club: J. W. Leonard, captain, first base; W. Scott, catcher, and Davis T. Kelly, pitcher; Walton, second base; C. Tilson, third base; M. H. Zann, left field.

"The other three players have not been decided on, and I hope to get them from Oakland city. Mr. Blake, our general manager and secretary, will be in your city looking for players.

"Roberts, Donovan and Agnew we have our eye on. I would consider it a great favor if you know of any good players to send them over to me, and I will give them a chance to show up.

"We had a practice game Sunday afternoon, the score standing 4 to 3, for a starter not bad. The grounds are now beginning to look like baseball was on the boom, and it surely is. As the four hundred people who ran in to see the grounds and inspect the players seemed highly pleased with everything, although the grounds are really not half done.

"I feel sure I have the pennant winners. I want the captain and Oakland people to be proud of us.

"J. W. LEONARD,
"Captain and Manager."

The sudden boom in baseball means much to the national game on the coast. The new league which started the season last Sunday across the bay should receive the proper support due any enterprise that tends to benefit a city.

That we will have baseball again here in 1897 there can be no doubt. The fans are eager for it, and as soon as they see that it is put on a solid basis will turn out as in days of yore. The only way baseball will pay is to have a regular organized league under the national agreement, with salaried players and all the necessary accessories. Oakalnd will certainly be in the '97 league and J. T. Moran will handle the reins. Tip O'Neill is home again and is closely affiliated with Mr. Moran in the proposed new deal.

Uncle Henry Harris is in San Francisco along with Duke Michael Finn, who twice landed the championship for San Jose. Get these two into the game again, with others of the old guard, and I predict a successful revival of baseball in 1897.

There is yet another whose name takes prominence when a renewal of the game is spoken of—he who was instrumental in giving us the winning team in 1889, the boss boomer of them all—Colonel Truly Progressive Robinson, now chief adviser to his honor Mayor Sutro in conducting a bathing resort and several other attractions in San Francisco. If the tall magnate with a strong habit of talking through his top-piece could be induced to once more enter the arena, baseball would take a sudden move forward. Let the Colonel get into the game, by all means.

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The champion Oakland team of 1889 will long be remembered by lovers of the game. Handsome Charley Dooley played first base. He is now with Scranton, Pa. "Scotchy" Jim McDonald, who covered second, is umpiring in the Western League. Tip O'Neill, shortstop and captain, is here, having just returned from Victoria. Vincent Dailey, left field, is in the East. Danny Long, center fielder, and Lou Hardie, right fielder and change catcher, are residents of this city. George Stallings is playing with Detroit. Of the pitchers, Coughlin is twirling the sphere for Springfield, and William Wherle is on a ranch in Mendocino County. Only one of the team has passed away—William Smalley, the Haywards boy. He was destined to become the greatest third baseman of the country, but Providence saw fit to close his career before he was half way around the diamond.

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The local baseball clubs are to have ball grounds of their own. That is to say, there is to be a new diamond laid out on this side of the bay, so that hereafter the Oakland teams—the Acmes, Saturday Press, Reliance and others less prominent—may play ball without having to go outside of the city and without having to pay for the privilege. Also, the Oakland teams may in future invite outside teams to their own town.

These new grounds are already laid out, and are now being coated, rolled and put in condition. They will be fit to play on by the end of this week. Improvements will thereafter be added gradually until everything is in first class order. Co-operation among the different clubs and general interest taken in the enterprise by the Oakland players will materially advance the usefulness and the value of the new undertaking.

The grounds are located between Peralta and Adeline streets and between Nineteenth and Twenty-first streets, and are most accessible from the Peralta side. The Sixteenth street cars pass within two blocks of this side. The work now going on is under the direction of the Saturday Press Club, which will exercise general supervision over the grounds. Applications for dates on which other clubs may use them should be addressed to the Saturday Press Club.

It is expected that the diamond will be enlivened and christened by two games next Sunday. The Acme-Reliance game may be played there and the Saturday Press Club has in view a game with the Pacifics of the San Francisco Professional League. Preparations are being made for a balloon ascension in the afternoon by Professor George.

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Otto Zeigler Jr., the crack California racer and his trainer, R. P. Aylward, will join the National Racing Circuit at Galveston. Zeigler has not been in the best of health, but is fast rounding into shape and condition and will make a splendid showing on the circuit. He is in excellent hands there being no better trainer in the business than Aylward, and he understands Zeigler perfectly.

THE UMPIRE.

RELIANCE SHOOTERS.

Good Scores Made Sunday at the Alameda Traps.

The first shoot of the Reliance Gun Club on the new trap grounds was held in Alameda Sunday. The prizes offered brought out a large number of entries, and members of the Lincoln, Olympic, Los Angeles, Alameda Sportsmen's and the Empire Clubs were in attendance. The scores were as follows:

First event pool, 10 birds, free for all. Entrance divided, 50, 30 and 20 per cent. Scores: Cadman 6, Orr 5, Tubbs 7, W. Gross 7, G. Gross 6, Kellogg 5, Young 5, Yardley 6, Robertson 9, Justins 8, Roberts 4, F. Vernon 7, Leeds 8, King 6, Billington 8, Friedner 8, Johnson 7, Trombone 8, Ed. Olson 6, Reed 4, Fairchild 1, Sears 9, Baker 8, Newton 6, Layton 10, Ralph 7, Brier 8, Ross 8, Andrus 8, Burrowe 5, Murdock 7, Klevesahl 7, Eugene Foster 7, Ed Foster 5, Bartlett 3, Burns 9, Karney 8, A. F. Adams 2, Overman 5, Vandell 6, Lovell 2, Huntley 3, Burgons 6, Clabrough 3, Barney 6, Fishers 7, Stewart 8, Lehrke 6, H. C. Golcher 8, S. Golmar 6, Numman 5, Allen 5, Bachelder 2, H. Wagner 5, Webb 9, Wetmore 1, Baxter 3, Deacon 2, Quinn 0, Dr. Wilson 1, Roberts 3, Arlett 1, Klein 2, Griffiths 2, Elford 2, Potter 3, Winning 9, Brady 5, M. Little 7, Len Owen 7, W. J. Golcher 8, Alderson 5, Weber 1, S. Merquire 5, F. G. Williams 6, Umphreet 4, King 3, H. H. White 6, Whitney 8, Hyns 7, Nauman 8, Robins 3, Young 5.

Second event, first Reliance free for all match: 15 birds, open to all comers, on the first Sundays in June, July and August. Final competition to take place in September. Entrance, 75 cents. Scores: Cashman 14, Webb 14, Tubbs 10, W. Gross 11, G. Gress 9, Kellogg 7, Young 11, Yardley 8, Robertson 13, Justins 8, F. Verron 12, Leeds 11, King 11, Fuedner 13, Tromboe 12, Olson 9, Reed 3, Fairchild 3, Sears 12, Williams 4, Baker 7, Newton 8, Layton 14, Ralph 11, H. Wagner 5, C. Wagner 12, Unphred 7, Griffiths 1, Len Owen 13, W. J. Golcher 10, Hanford 7, F. G. Williams 6, H. H. White 10, Whitney 10, Winning 10, Keating 6, Beekeart 9, King 7, Barney 10, Robbins 8, Vandell 4, Merguire 9, Billington 10, Ross 7, Andrus 10, Burrows 11, A. F. Adams 10, Overman 3, Murdock 9, Klevesahl 13, Eugene Foster 12, Ed Foster 12, Burns 13, Karney 10, Bartlett 14, Lovell 7, Huntley 9, Burgans 13, Claybrough 8, Barney 11, Fisher 14, Stewart 12, Lehrke 9, Golcher 11, Nauman 12, Allen 10.

Third event, merchandise match, 25 birds, entrance $1. Scores: Cadman 18, Webb 21, Lovell 10, W. Gross 13, G. Gross 17, Kellogg 12, Young 20, Yardley 11, Robertson 18, Justins 15, Whitney 24, F. Vernon 16, Leeds 19, King 17, Feuder 23, Trombone 22, Olsen 17, Reed 11, Fairchild 2, Sears 18, Williams 5, Baker 12, Newton 21, Ross 17, Andrus 13, Burrows 12, Overman 8, A. F. Adams 17, Bartlett 20, H. Wagner 12, Murdock 14, Kleversahl 20, Eugene Foster 18, Ed Foster 24, Bruns 20, Karney 20, Vandell 13, Burgous 16, Claybrough 13, Barney 18, Fisher 19, Stewart 14, Lehrke 18, Golcher 19, Nauman 16, C. Wagner 12, Duckman 11, Fisher 10, Len Owen 15, W. J. Golcher 18, Alderton 17, Bekeart 17, H. H. White 19, Daniels 18, Potter 16, Dude 19, Winning 10, Tubbs 12, Ralph 19, Layton 20.

The California Gun Tournament Association will hold its opening shoot on its new grounds at Alameda Point, July 4th and 5th. All clubs and others interested in trap shooting are cordially invited to attend.

ALAMEDA'S VICTORY.

Clever Work Is Done on the Cricket Field.

The Californias and Alamedas went up against each other Sunday to decide their supremacy in cricket.

The game took place in Alameda and the home team went to the wicket first.

Hood and Randall made 52 and 71 respectively the side reaching 192 runs by 4:15 o'clock.

The California's led off with Hearfield and Gellathy and the pair rolled up 92 in short order.

Griffin and Ward Jr. put up some excellent trundling and 150 runs were registered.

The Alamedas secured the draw and the scores resulted as follows.

ALAMEDAS.

R. B. Hogue c. Brooks b. Thomas	15
C. Gardiner b. Banner	19
E. Hood c. Gellantly b. Gild	52
E. T. Randall c. Tounsley b. Banner	71
H. Ward Jr. b. Guild	2
H. Cronin c. Brooks b. Banner	0
J. J. Peel c. Van Nuden b. Tounsley	12
C. Bragg c Brooks b. Tounsley	9
G. Lamb b. Banner	0
G. Ireland not out	2
G. Griffin run out	0
Extras	10
Totals	92

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	Balls	Runs	Maidens	Wickets
Guild	137	60	3	2
Banner	10h	42	6	4
Sellom	24	15	0	0
Sollum	24	10	0	0
Gellantly	24	21	0	0
Tounsley	12	4	1	2

CALIFORNIAS.

D. Hearfield not out	92
P. D. Gellantly c. Cronin b. Bragg	9
W. Guild b. Griffin	11
J. B. Brooks b. Griffin	0
O. J. Thomas b. Griffin	1
C. Tounsley c and b. Ward Jr.	0
R. B. Jones b Griffin	10
O. Sellom b. Peel	8
C. Banner b Peel	0
L. Schwoder b. Ward Jr.	4
G. Van Norden not out	0
Extras	12
Total for nine wickets	150

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	Balls	Runs	Maidens	Wickets
Ward Jr.	130	48	1	2
Peel	72	33	0	2
C. Bragg	18	20	0	1
Griffin	62	23	2	4
Hogue	31	14	1	0

BOYDEN TO THE FRONT.

The Oakland Boy Does Well as a Professional.

In speaking of the work of the Oakland boys in the San Francisco bicycle races, a correspondent has the following to say:

As for Boyden he never could win as an amateur. Time and again he started and as often was noted among those who "also ran." Then someone advised him to turn professional, assuring him that on his poor showing as an amateur he would be given a good handicap, and if he won he would get bright, shining "twenties" for his reward instead of a medal, cheap jewelry or undesirable merchandise. The man who told him all this was a prophet, surely, for Boyden the first time he started as a professional which was last Saturday, was given 150 yards handicap in the mile. He had to ride unpaced all the way, but he did it winning his first heat and then the final, amid the delighted yells of his much surprised clubmates. And now he jingles those gold pieces against one another as he strolls into the club house of an evening, and the members look upon their only professional almost with idolatry. It is rumored that Charley Bates will be the next to "flop over." There will be a good many men joining the professional ranks before long. The success of Daw and Boyden will encourage them to do so. Several ought to be there now. Take Griffiths, Tom Hall, Tantau or Yeoman, for instance, they are far too speedy for the average amateur. The term does not fit them.

A SPANIEL CLUB.

Dog Fanciers Organize for the Protection of Pets.

The Spaniels breeders of Oakland, Stockton and this City have organized a club which will be known as the Spaniel Club of California. The new club will foster the breeding of Cocker, Sussex, Clumber and Irish water Spaniels. F. C. Miller of Oakland is president, John E. Doak of Stockton, J. H. Sammi and H. H. Carlton of this city, J. H. Brooks and J. H. Simpson of Oakland, Vice Presidents, and A. H. Blow, Secretary-Treasurer. Over forty breeders of Spaniels have signified their intention of becoming members.

ACME'S WIN AGAIN.

The Ball Club Has Captured Two Straight Games.

The Acme Ball Club has another victory to record being the tenth straight. The boys defeated a picked team on the College grounds last Sunday by a score of ten to nine. The game was very close although it was full of errors.

The Acmes were three men short and filled the vacancies on the grounds. Pop Hardie played with the team and played a very good game. He showed that with a little practice he could get back to his old time form.

In speaking of the game, Captain Donovan said. "I think that our team could safely go up against any team in either of the two new Leagues in San Francisco. We are situated now in Oakland without even a sand lot to play ball upon; the college grounds are to be reserved for the college players. We are to play the Reliance next Sunday but I do not know where we can play. It seems strange that none of these electric roads will lay out a few hundred dollars on grounds, when it is a sure thing that they could get back the amounts inside of a month.

THE ACME RACE.

The Wheelmen Will Try for Prizes Next Sunday.

The Acme ten-mile road race takes place Sunday on the new Hayward's course.

The first place prize will be a bicycle suit made to order by a leading tailor; first time prize, $20 order for merchandise, second place, $10 order for merchandise, third place, Turkish bath robe, fourth place, racing suit.

During the Acme trampers' run, Sunday, Henry Tank was elected Captain for the remaining term left vacant by Jimmie Shanley who resigned. Many long runs are now being planned for the future.

RUSHERS AND RUBBERS.

A Lively Game of Basket Ball at the Y. M. C. A.

The basket ball game played on the evening of the 5th between the San Francisco Rushers and the Oakland Rubbers at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium was lively in the extreme. Captain Klasmon and Fleisher did some very accurate throwing, making five out of the six goals scored. The game was won by the Rushers by a score of six to three.

The teams lined up as follows:

Oakland—Book, rf.; Tullett and Muller, lf.; J. R. Lancaster, rc.; Walter Rhode lc.; Joseph Lancaster c.; William, rg.; West lg.

San Francisco—Snacher, rf.; Klarma. lf.; Kriezer and Marchant, rc.; Shew, lc.; Fleischer, c; Mitchell, rg.; Hanrahan, lg.

Dr. H. L. Dietz and Alfred T. Brock umpired, F. W. Edwards and L. Eldridge timed and Andrew Armstrong scored.

Book scored two of the three goals made by Oakland.

LAKESIDE VALE.

The Old Tennis Club Gives Place to the "Boulevard."

The Old Lake Side Tennis Club has disbanded but a successor in the form of the Boulevard Tennis Club has sprung up to take its place. Sam P. Hardy who has the management of the new organization has secured a court at Boulevard Terrace, on Twenty-second street near Webster. As there is but one court at the new location the club membership will be limited to twenty-five. Work to put the court in condition will commence right away.

THE WALLACE CUP.

Preparations Being Made for the Big Race.

Affairs in the California Yacht Club are apparently rather quiet although there is an under current of excitement brought about the race for the Wallace cup to be held on the 21st of this month. The yachts are being put in racing trim so no cruise was held last Sunday nor will one be sailed next Sunday.

LOCAL TALENT.

Many Oakland Dentists to Give Addresses at Santa Cruz.

Among the dentists of this city who are to read papers at the convention of dentists now in session at Santa Cruz and the subjects they are to discuss are as follows:

Dr. A. F. Merriman, Jr. "How to Elevate the Standard of the Dental Profession," and "Use of Power and Other Mallets in Gold Building; Dr. J. M. Dunn of "The Antrum, Diseases of, and its Functions;" Dr. Walter F. Lewis of "Report of Committee on Therapeutics;" Dr. R. W. Meek of "Report of Committee on Pathology and Surgery;" Dr. J. Russell H. Cool of "Popular Dissemination of Dental Knowledge," illustrated with lantern slides, and "Antral Lessons in Oral Surgery."

Bay City Flour is purest.

A Convention Postponed.

The Alameda County Convention that was to be have been held the 12th and 13th inst. is deferred until later in the season. The programme of exercises made out for that occasion will not be used in consequence on the above dates.

STUDYING BY SIGNS.

The Thorough Education Given Shown by the Graduates.

EXERCISES AT BERKELEY.

Pupils of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute Entertain.

REMARKABLE TALENT SHOWN.

Clear Logical Thought the Result of Excellent Training.

The graduating exercises at the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institution in Berkeley were held yesterday afternoon and differed in many respects from the usual order of such events. There were no graduating essays read and the recitations were in the graceful sign language. The assembly hall where the exercises took place was crowded. The rostrum was very simply decorated with a few potted plants and palms.

After the opening exercises Dr. Wilkinson, principal of the Institute, had four pupils of the first and third year's instruction give an exhibition of slate work. This was done by deaf pupils from 11 to 14 years of age. The children were Annie Walcott, Minnie Phelps, Maggie McLean and Guisseppi Gabriella. Dr. Wilkinson explained that the children were taught language, they were also instructed in science, geography, physiology, etc. To illustrate this, he showed the pupils a thermometer and they explained its use, the materials used in making and other interesting facts in regard to the instrument.

The next exhibition was by the little blind pupils of 10, 11 and 12 years of age, who did some remarkable work in rapid multiplication and in geography. The little ones were able to multiply any figures below 25 without a moment's hesitation. The little ones were Jessie Winters and Robbie Spankenberg.

The senior deaf pupils gave some slate exercises. The audience asked questions on any of the two topics of the day and the pupils wrote the answers on the slate. The question were varied in nature and some of the replies were decidedly quaint and original. The two young women, Miss Florence Alexander and Miss Frances Mortos, were asked their views on the woman's right question and one gave her answer in the following words.

"For a good many years women have been trying to have the same rights as men do and I have not succeeded very well, owing to the refusal of the latter to let them have freedom in the way of voting and debating the leading questions. But in spite of all this some women take the lead in politics."

The other young woman wrote a very clever reply in which she stated that she believed in woman's right to vote especially if a woman owned property, but she had no sympathy with a mannish woman.

The pupils replied to questions regarding the Cuban troubles, the St. Louis Convention, the liquor question, the silver matter, the Armenian troubles and one young woman gave her views on music.

The questions were answered cleverly and showed considerable originality in some cases. The pupils were evidently well read and versed in current events.

A little boy of 8 years, Melville Matthews, who had been deaf ever since he was 5 years old, read questions asked by Professor Wilkinson from the latter's lips and answered them clearly and fairly distinctly.

An example of reading was given by the blind pupils, who read Carlyle's "Hero Worship" written in points and in raised letters. Miss Gussie Mast read the raised letters very rapidly, although a handkerchief folded twice was placed between the letters and her fingers.

There was a clever little sign recitation given by Miss Gande, "Smile a Little," which was a graceful piece of work. A young lad of about 14, Paul Demartini, gave a most graphic description of a hunting trip in signs, while a little girl of the same age, Tonita Peralta, gave an exhibition of the signs for words. She described birds in signs and also mental qualities and emotions.

During the exercises the blind pupils sang and played in a very creditable manner.

President David Starr Jordan of Stanford University made an address to the graduates which was interpreted in signs to the deaf ones by Dr. Wilkinson. President Jordan said:

"I have been greatly interested and pleased in these exercises. It is easy to teach a child who has all his senses and I fear that frequently on account of that, we instruct him in a slip-shod manner. Neither the instructors or the pupils put forth their best efforts, consequently many who have the use of all their faculties cannot do as much as these pupils can. I have just one word to say to the pupils in a moral way, although I hardly think it is necessary. Unless the bit of sod under your feet is the sweetest in the world to you you will not be content. The time to enjoy life is now; the time to make the most of your opportunities is now. I sympathized with the blind student who wanted to climb the Alps in order to have the pleasure of conquest. To know what to do next is the great element of success in life. The very essence of living is to do the best thing next. The way to build up a character is to find out what to do. The habit of doing the right thing is to lay the keystone of happiness. We are not called upon frequently to do great things, so let us do the little best things that lead to happiness and success."

Dr. Wilkinson then presented diplomas to the following: W. A. Cotter, Caroline J. Crawford, Isadore Hyman Davis, Mabel Gande, Isabelle Henessey, Gustav O. Isert and an honorable dismissal to Geo. Richville.

The exercises closed with the Lord's Prayer given in signs by Miss Henessey.

The programme in full was as follows:

Prayer—By Rev. J. K. McLean, D. D.
Chorus, "Huntsman's Song" ...Kuecken
Slate exercises by deaf pupils of first and third year's instruction.
Piano trio, "Pas Redouble" ....Mayer
Miss Erickson, Masters Caceres and Paxton.
Organ solo, "March Militaire"....Tedesco
Miss Lily Smith.
Class-room exercises by blind pupils in reading, writing, arithmetic, geography, etc.
Piano solo, "Air de Ballet"........Durand
Master Thomas Morrison.
Slate exercises by the senior deaf pupils. Subjects by the audience.
Soprano, "Magnetic Waltz" ......Arditi
Miss Gussie Mast.
Piano solo, "Les Phalenes"........Gregh
Miss Lily Smith.
Sign recitations.
Organ solo "Communion in G"....Batiste
Master Thomas Morrison.
Address to graduates—David Starr Jordan, Ph. D., L. L. D., president Leland Stanford, Jr., University.
Presentation of diplomas.
Chorus, "The Brook" ....Cross
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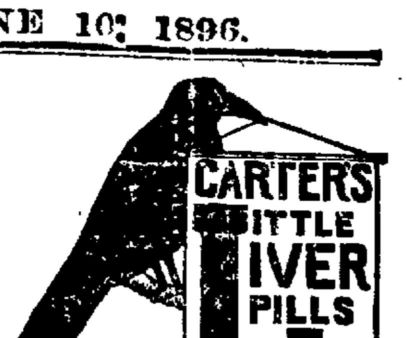

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CONTESTS ARE CALLED.

Alameda County's District Fight Will Soon Be Settled.

THE COMMITTEE IS AT WORK.

Financial Issues Are Puzzling the Leaders of the Party.

McKINLEY'S STAND OUTLINED.

Opposition to the Project to Straddle the Issue.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, June 10.—The National Committee of the Republican Party, which begins meeting today, for the purpose of deciding, tentatively at least, the various contests for seats in the convention, expects to go thoroughly into the merits of all the cases presented.

The members are of the opinion that the interests of the party will be promoted by a careful analysis of the testimony and a decision of all cases upon their merits, regardless of personal Presidential preferences or the prejudices of the contestants upon the financial question.

Their decision in favor of any delegation will have only the effect of seating its members for temporary organization and their work will necessarily be superseded by a Committee on Credentials, but they hope to perform the task so thoroughly as to leave comparatively little for that committee to do.

The National Committee will probably be engaged upon the contests the greater part of the week.

The McKinley men have decided upon C. W. Fairbanks of Indiana for temporary Chairman, but many members of the National Committee are urging Samuel Fessenden of Connecticutt.

Fessenden will not be satisfactory to the McKinley leaders and if the National Committee should name him it might precipitate a contest in the convention

It is possible, however, that everything will be adjusted in the committee.

The trouble about the colored delegates seems settled.

Chairman Carter received numerous telegrams from all over the country calling for the removal of the convention if the colored men do not receive fair treatment.

The matter will be brought up in the committee today and Chairman Kennard of the local committee will give assurances that the colored delegates will be taken care of.

A careful analysis of the situation seems to indicate a straddle on the financial question would not be popular. A straddle to hold the silver States, the leaders say, would lose New York, New Jersey and Connecticut, in case a gold Democrat was in the field.

The silver men claim that no straddle the Republicans could adopt would hold Colorado and such States against the nominee of the Democrats and Republicans on a free silver platform.

Figuring on the basis of the electoral college, it is declared the only logical and candid way will be to condemn free coinage and declare in unmistakeable terms for the present standard.

CONTESTS COME UP.

They Are to Be Considered in Their Alphabetical Order.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, June 10.—The National Republican Committee met at 12 o'clock with Chairman Carter of Montana in the chair. There were very few absentees. The business before the committee, the consideration of 168 contests was promptly taken up. The initial meeting was of an executive character, and press and public were excluded.

The Executive Committee of the National Committee held a meeting today to hear the report of the sub-committee, which made arrangements for the Convention. An informal visit to the convention building was made by Chairman Carter and the other members. The acoustic properties of the hall were found to be all that could be desired.

The committee had been in session only a few minutes when Richard Kerens offered a motion to admit the press, which was adopted.

It was discovered as soon as the committee announced the readiness to take up the Alabama contest that the parties were not prepared to proceed immediately.

Recess was therefore taken until 2 o'clock, when it was announced the states will be taken up in alphabetical order to hear the contests.

THE FIRST FIGHT.

A McKinley Victory for the Delegates From Alabama.

ST. LOUIS, June 10.—Bulletin—The motion to seat the Mosely (Ala.) delegation was defeated, 38 to 6.

The Buckley (McKinley) delegation was then seated without opposition.

It was a decided McKinley victory. Those voting to seat the Mosely delegation were: Fessenden (Conn.), Gear (Iowa), Leonard (La.), Crain (Mass.), Southerland (N. Y.), Carson (Dist. Columbia).

THURSTON TALKS.

He Is Booming Hobart of New Jersey, for Vice President

ST. LOUIS, June 10.—Senator Thurston, member of the National Republican Committee from Nebraska, and delegate to the Convention, was among the early arrivals today. He wore a McKinley and Hobart badge.

"It is pretty well understood," said the Senator, "that I am for McKinley for first place. With his nomination assured as it is, we want an Eastern man as his running mate and I believe Hobart to be an available man. We want to keep New Jersey in the Republican ranks now we have it there. Furthermore, Hobart is strong in New York."

Thurston said he believed the Indiana declaration would form a model upon which the money declaration would be based.

"It is," he said, "brief and explicit, and skilfully avoids reference by terms to any of the mooted questions. It is unmistakably a sound-money utterance, at the same time it avoids all mention of the gold standard, reference to which, by name, would drive votes away from the ticket in some states."

The Senator expressed the opinion that the Indiana platform would be satisfactory to all the Western states except Colorado, Utah, Montana, Idaho and Nevada, and possibly Wyoming, but he said, as they have all told, only nineteen votes in the electoral college, the party could afford to lose them.

HANNA AND HAHN.

McKinley's Chief Managers Have Opened Up Headquarters.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, June 10.—Marcus A. Hanna, and W. A. Hahn, of Ohio, arrived today.

The McKinley headquarters at once became a busy portion of the Southern Hotel.

Hanna said the reports received indicated the friends of McKinley had not in the least over-estimated his popularity.

Assurances have been received from friends of other candidates that little or no contest would be made.

Hahn said the financial plank would be such as every Republican could stand upon who wanted the National credit sustained.

THE MONEY PLANK.

Kerens' Stand Gives an Idea of How McKinley Feels.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, June 10.—The following was given out today by Richard C. Kerens, member of the National Committee from Missouri.

More importance attaches to it than to the various proposed planks on account of Kerens visit to Major McKinley at Canton, although Kerens would not have it understood the proposed plank had the sanction of McKinley and gave no intimation to that effect:

"We believe our money should not be inferior to the money of the most enlightened nations of the earth and are unalterably opposed to every scheme that threatens to debase or depreciate our present monetary standard. We favor the reasonable use of silver as currency, but such use should be to the extent only and under such well-defined regulations that its parity with gold as a currency can be easily and efficiently maintained. As consistent bi-metallists we are opposed to the independent free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 as a measure fraught with certain disaster to all commercial interests, destructive to the interests of the wage-earner and in the absence of an international agreement sure to lead to silver monometallism."

QUAY WITHDRAWS.

He Does Not Want to Be Chairman of the Big Committee.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

CHICAGO, June 10.—A special to the Times-Herald from Philadelphia says:

Senator Quay said today he would not accept the chairmanship of the Republican National Committee. He said he would withdraw from the Presidential field when Speaker Reed, Governor Morton and other candidates did. He said all doubt as to Major McKinley's nomination on the first ballot was long ago settled.

SHOT THROUGH THE HEART

A Man Found Dead on a Train Baggage Car.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WEBSTER CITY, Iowa, June 10.—The body of a man shot through the heart was found sitting on the platform of the blind baggage car attached to an eastbound passenger train. The remains were still warm.

Shortly after the train moved away a young man giving the name of G. W. Adcock appeared at the morgue and identified the body as that of W. E. Dudrey of Macon, Ill. According to Adcock, he and Dudrey were stealing a ride home.

When near Duncombe a shot was heard. There were five others on the platform and Adcock supposed the shot was fired by a drunken tramp.

The coroner's jury set Adcock at liberty. Dudrey's wife and family reside at Macon, Ill.

Two Bad Failures.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MILWAUKEE, June 10.—Barting and Wambold Clothing and Men's Furnishing Goods Company have assigned to W. D. Becker. The failure is ascribed to the railway strike. Assets $40,000, liabilities $30,000.

The Cream City Furniture Company's furniture factory and the Seaman Frame Factory have been seized by the Sheriff on judgments. The claims against the two concerns amount to $23,000 against the first named, and $9,000 against the last named company. Assets and liabilities not given.

A Silver Sale.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, June 10.—A single transaction was made today in silver certificates, $100,000 at 8.

THE DECREE GRANTED.

Mrs. Crowley Gets a Divorce on the Ground of Cruelty.

LITTLE TESTIMONY TAKEN.

She Gets the Two Children and $125 a Month Alimony.

THE HOMESTEAD IS FOR HER.

She Will, However, Lose It if She Marries Again.

The divorce case of Alma A. Crowley, who is suing for legal separation from her husband, Dr. D. D. Crowley of this city, came up before Judge Frick in the Superior Court this morning. It had been transferred to Judge Frick's court about a month ago, for the reason that Judge Ogden, in whose court the action had been brought, had expressed a desire that it should be heard by some other Judge.

W. W. Foote, of counsel for the defendant, was the first of the parties interested in the case to make his appearance. He was followed by W. R. Davis, who represents the petitioner. Then came Dr. Crowley. Fred L. Button, also of counsel for Mrs. Crowley, now came in, followed by R. M. Fitzgerald, who is associated in the case with W. W. Foote. Mr. Fitzgerald and Mr. Foote, in their greeting and intercourse, betrayed no evidence of knowledge of the big political battle in which each had fought the other at the polls on Friday last. The greeting was friendly and cordial, and gradually dropped into a whispered consideration of features of the case.

The trial had been set for 10 o'clock, but up to 11:30 o'clock A. M. the petitioner herself had not put in an appearance. There was also noticed an utter absence of witnesses. The only person present outside of the attorneys mentioned who was in any manner interested in the case was A. G. Ainsworth, the husband of the lady who was in the office of Dr. Crowley at the time Mrs. Crowley appeared there unannounced.

The absence of witnesses gave rise to the surmise that an attempt was being made to settle the case without the ordeal of a trial.

This surmise was in a measure strengthened by the report which was circulated that the charge of adultery against the defendant had been withdrawn.

To give more color to this theory the attorneys at times held whispered conversations one with the other, and at others with the Judge, in a manner which seemed to argue that questions other than proceeding immediately with the hearing of the cause were under consideration.

Dr. Crowley was asked by a Tribune reporter if it were true that the charge referred to had been withdrawn, and replied that he did not know. If it had been withdrawn, he said, he had instructed his attorneys to see that the withdrawal had been made in no vague manner and that it was clearly apparent that a mistake had been made in making the charge at all.

At length there was a conference between counsel on both sides and Judge Frick held in chambers. This conclave continued for half an hour, and when the attorneys again appeared one of them said to an interested party that it had been agreed that no evidence would be introduced on the graver charge above referred to, thus limiting the petitioner to a showing of alleged cruelty.

Counsel for the defendant insisted that if no testimony were introduced on the ground of adultery the decree should set forth the fact that the charge was unjust and unfounded, in justice to Dr. Crowley, whose reputation had been affected by the charge. On that point it was said that perfect unanimity prevailed among the attorneys.

The next question which arose was as to the disposition of the homestead of Dr. Crowley on Alice street, which is now occupied by Mrs. Crowley.

Counsel for the petitioner wanted the home to be deeded to her, but objection was made to the demand by the doctor's attorneys, who were willing to give Mrs. Crowley the use of the home during her natural life, and who desired, after her death, that the property should revert to the doctor for his children.

It was impossible for the opposing attorneys to agree on this subject, whereupon W. R. Davis retired from the conference and had an interview with Mrs. Crowley, who had been awaiting developments in the office of the District Attorney.

After about ten minutes Mr. Davis returned. There was then another conference in chambers. Finally, at 11:35 o'clock, counsel and Judge Frick emerged from chambers and took up his position on the bench. He called the case "Crowley vs. Crowley."

W. W. Foote answered: "Ready for the defendant, your honor."

Mr. Foote, continuing, said: "This is a matter that ought not to be made public. I will ask therefor to have the case tried behind closed doors, with only the stenographer present."

"Such may be the order," said Judge Frick.

The court was then cleared, save as to counsel, presiding Judge and stenographer and the hearing of the case was proceeded with.

Counsel for the petitioner then introduced evidence tending to substantiate the charge of cruelty.

They made no attempt to substantiate any other charge, whereupon the attorneys for Dr. Crowley offered to disprove the charge of adultery, but the matter was not gone into.

Judge Frick granted Mrs. Crowley a decree of divorce from her husband on the ground of cruelty, giving her the custody of her two minor children and allowing her alimony in the sum of $125 per month.

He also allowed her the homestead for the use of herself and children until she should re-marry.

In the event of Mrs. Crowley's re-marriage, the property is to go to the children and must be vacated by the mother.

On the charge of adultery, the decree sets forth that the allegation was not proven and was unfounded.

The proceedings consumed only a short time and attracted little or no attention.

TAKING A TUMBLE.

A Bad Break Today in the San Francisco Mining Market.

CHOLLAR GOES TO PIECES.

It Drops From $3.65 to $2.60 at the One Sitting.

ANOTHER DUNHAM RUMOR.

He Is Said to Have Been Seen Near San Miguel.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 10.—The stock market opened strong this morning, but there was a sharp decline later in the day.

A break in Chollar today running down from $3.65 to $2.60, brought values down elsewhere, but the market closed with a steadier tone.

DUNHAM AGAIN.

SAN MIGUEL, Cal., June 10.—A man answering Dunham's description was seen on San Marcos creek yesterday. Officers on the trail at Lyndon will be here tonight.

THE NATIVE DAUGHTERS.

NAPA, Cal., June 10.—The Grand Parlor Native Daughters met at 9:30 this morning.

The first business, the report of the committee on the state of the order, showed a splendid increase in members and a satisfactory financial condition.

The Grand President's recommendation was adopted making the Past Grand President's committee prepare a programme of subjects of interest and for the advancement of the social and financial condition of the subordinate parlors. Their report will be submitted tomorrow afternoon.

An order was made that when the Grand Parlor do formally adjourn it be out of respect of the memory of Evylan Packard, formerly of Napa, and at one time Grand Marshal, now deceased.

THE HEARNE CASE.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., June 10.—The jury in the case of J. C. Hearne against M. H. DeYourg for damages for alleged libel for $100,000 failed to agree after being out all night and until this afternoon.

The jury was equally divided for plaintiff and defendant.

The alleged libel consisted in connecting Hearne's name with the murder of Amos Stillwell, in Hannibal, Mo., eight years ago.

A CIVIC ISSUE.

Can a Town Take Charge of a Street Railroad Business.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MILWAUKEE, June 10.—The promoters of the municipal railway scheme will apply to the Common Council at its next meeting for a franchise and also for an appropriation from the city to subscribe for the stock of the new company.

The articles of incorporation of the new company which will be known as the Milwaukee Municipal and Suburban Railroad and are unique in that they propose a composite plan of private and public ownership, some of the stock to be owned by individuals and the balance by the city.

The capital stock is fixed at $1,000,000 in $5 shares.

The experiment is being carefully watched by railroad men who say the city has no power to go into the street railway business.

CRITICAL COMPLAINTS.

More Americans Badly Treated by the Spaniards in Cuba.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, June 10.—Dr. J. D. Delgado and Son, J. M. Delgado, American citizens, reached this city today on the steamer City of Washington from Havana.

They are going to Washington to make formal statements to the State Department regarding the treatment to which they were subjected in Cuba, the elder Delgado having been shot almost to death by Spanish soldiers, his servants murdered and property destroyed.

There also came on the City of Washington Felix Cabello, an officer in the Spanish service, said to be on an important errand to this country.

Russian Enterprise.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PHILADELPHIA, June 10.—The Russian engineers have been in Philadelphia and are now traveling West who have made a contract for $500,000 worth of machinery here. It is also proposed to erect a great plant at Nijni, Russia, to build steam locomotives. Machinery will be bought in thirty different cities reaching several million dollars in value. At present nearly all Russian Government railroad locomotives are built here.

May Be a Tragedy.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., June 10.—A three-masted schooner, Edward C. Allen True, Capt. McLaughlin, from Baltimore for Portland, sank off Jobb's Neck, south side of this island this morning. From the fact that the vessel's boats have come ashore in pieces and articles of clothing have been picked up, it is feared all on board are lost.

BURNED ALIVE.

Seven Men Stricken Down by a Terrific Dynamite Explosion.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 10.—A hundred and eighty cans of dynamite exploded about a mile below Lilly yesterday afternoon with frightful results.

Dead—Mike Scawnoski.

Fatally injured—Antonio Stibley, Gregorious Schiki, Gabriel Augonoski, Frank Smith, colored, Peter Jackson, colored, Samuel Walters.

Contractor McManus and his workmen on the Pennsylvania railway were getting ready to make a blast when the premature explosion occurred, burying seven men beneath sand and rock.

TO ADJOURN TOMORROW

The House Clearing the Decks of Congressional Business.

Aluminum Suggested as a Metal for the Minor Coins.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—When the House re-convened at 10 o'clock this morning, still in continuation of the legislative day Saturday, the general feeling was that Congress would reach final adjournment tonight.

About 100 members were on the floor.

C. W. Stone, (Rep., Pa.) chairman of the Committee on Coinage, Weights and Measures, secured the passage of a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Treasury to report to the House next session such information as he may be able to obtain as to the comparative merits of pure nickel, nickel alloy, aluminum, alloy and copper bronze as material for minor coins and authorizing him to have struck experimental coins.

A resolution was adopted authorizing the parties to the Hopkins-Kendall contested case from the Tenth Kentucky District to take testimony as to the result in Clark County up to August 1, 1896.

The House passed a bill to make Santa Barbara a sub-port of entry.

The House passed the bill appropriating $200,000 for a Government exhibit at the Omaha Exposition in 1898.

At 1:30 P. M. the members of the Appropriation Committee expressed the opinion that while final agreements on the sundry civil and District of Columbia bills were probable this afternoon, sine die adjournment could not be reached until tomorrow.

THE SENATE.

The Senate passed the contempt of court bill without division.

The Senate voted to again insist on the public building amendments to the sundry civil bill and sent it back to conference.

The Senate has agreed to a final conference report on the District of Columbia bill, leaving only the sundry civil bill to be acted upon.

ASKS GUARDIANSHIP.

Mrs. Prescott Applies in the Case of Estelle Baker

Mrs. Prescott of the Humane Society will apply to the courts for letters of guardianship of Estelle Baker, the fifteen-year-old daughter of M. C. Baker of San Francisco.

The girl's parents were divorced some time ago. The mother was given the custody of the children. At first she was kind to them but of late a mental alienation has taken place and now, Estelle, the oldest child wishes to be taken from her custody. The arrangements are agreeable to the father who is willing to support the child and complete her education in music as soon as she leaves his wife's custody.

ROOT'S CASE.

The Gold Brick Affair Is in the Courts Today.

The case of grand larceny against Andrew Root, the alleged gold brick man, came up for trial before Judge Greene in the Superior Court this afternoon.

The State was represented by District Attorney Snook and Chief Deputy District Attorney Church.

The defendant was represented by Attorney Nusbaumer.

A special venire of jurors was ordered, because all the members of the regular panel, with the exception of one member, were engaged in trying other cases.

Sports Knocked Out.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

COVINGTON, Ky., June 10.—Kenton County grand jury yesterday returned an indictment against the Rosedale Electric Light Racing Club; also against "Kid" Shaw, who is closely associated with the club as bookmaker and otherwise for maintaining a common nuisance and allowing people to congregate for betting on horse racing. Another indictment was against Charles Bollinger for maintaining a pool room in West Covington.

Bitten by a Dog.

Otis Carrington, son of Carroll Carrington of the Saturday Press, was painfully bitten on the thigh yesterday evening by a Newfoundland dog belonging to Mrs. Dunn who resides on Seventeenth street, between Center and Cypress streets. The lad is 12 years of age and was playing with a companion and the dog in Mrs. Dunn's yard at the time of the occurrence. The boy's father says that he does not think the dog was vicious at the time of the biting.

Tyler's Son in Trouble.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

RICHMOND, Va., June 10.—O. F. Tyler, a son of President John Tyler, is a prisoner in the police court here charged with shooting with intent to kill Jack Carr, a young negro. He went to the assistance of another person who got into a difficulty with Carr and says the shooting was in self-defense. The accused was sent on to the grand jury, and allowed bail.

J. N. KNOWLES IS DEAD.

The Trustee of the Merritt Estate Suddenly Called.

HIS END WAS UNEXPECTED.

He Turned Back on a Trip He Started for Alaska.

A SKETCH OF HIS LIFE.

Speculation of the Effect on the Trust Deed.

Captain J. N. Knowles died very suddenly of apoplexy at his Jackson street residence shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon. He had been ailing for several days with a severe cold but was able to be up and about to within an hour of his death.

About 1 o'clock he was stricken with apoplexy. He never recovered and was dead within an hour.

He started for Alaska last Saturday, but owing to a severe cold had the steamer Jennie, in which he was a large owner, turn back. She arrived in San Francisco last night, and Captain Knowles came directly to his home.

Mr. Knowles' wife and six children survive him. They are Mrs. Harry Gordon, Mrs. H. H. Adams, and Harry, Mattie, Ruth, Alice and Thomas Knowles. All are in Oakland at the present time save Thomas and Miss Ruth Knowles. She is visiting near Forest Grove.

Captain Knowles was formerly a sea captain, well known in shipping circles. The last ship he sailed in was the famous "Glory of the Seas," which is still afloat and was the one hundredth ship made by the Boston firm of Donald McKay.

On one of his cruises the deceased was cast away on an island in the South Sea, by error of the chart, and his ship was lost. Leaving a portion of the crew on the island, he took a long boat and went to Pitcairn Island, where he buried $17,000 worth of treasure. The island was inhabited by him for several months, when with the help of his men he built a small boat and sailed near Samoa. He was then taken home to San Francisco, after having been given up as dead. During his absence a partial administration of his estate had taken place.

When he came to this coast, he was a trusted consignee of several Boston ships, and afterward their agent.

Later he was interested in a whaling company.

Captain Knowles settled in Oakland about twenty years ago and has been a resident here ever since, living in the family home which was purchased from the late Dr. Merritt.

As regards the effect of the death of Captain Knowles will have upon the deed of trust of the late Dr. Samuel Merritt in favor of the doctor's nephews, James and Fred Merritt, of which the Captain was the trustee, Attorney Frederick S. Stratton said this afternoon that the successorship would depend upon the terms of the trust deed.

If the deed specified, as some of those deeds do, in the event of death of the trustee, that some other person shall succeed to his position, then such a person must take the vacant position. In the absence of such a provision, the Superior Court has the power to appoint the successor, and the court is at liberty to take into consideration the wishes of the beneficiaries and others who are interested in a careful administration of the trust.

The trust provided that $500,000 in property was to be held for the nephews and from this they were to receive the income. The great defect of the trust was that no power was given to the trustee to sell in the event of the income from the property not proving remunerative.

COURT CALENDAR.

THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 1896.

Department 1, Judge Frick—George T. Hawley vs. M. L. Wurts. W. H. Robinson vs. R. Thompson.

Department 2, Judge Ogden—Walsh vs. Oakland Water Company. Blair vs. Squire et al. Wettstein vs. Southern Pacific Company.

Department 3, Judge Ellsworth—Reserved.

Department 4, Judge Greene—People vs. Gordon. Estates of G. W. Taft, G. E. Whitney, Mary J. Evoy and Fred A. Gowing.

Old and Dying.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., June 10.—Ex-Governor Felch is very low and hardly expected to live. He is unable to move himself in bed and passed a bad night. He is 92 years old. The heart action is bad and there is a general failing of his powers both of body and mind. Drs Jennings of Detroit and W. J. Herdman, of Ann Arbor, are in attendance.

The Wheat Report.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The Agricultural Department crop report is as follows: Average condition winter wheat, 77.8; spring wheat, 99.9; total winter area, 22,734,000; total spring, 11,825,000. The percentage of winter and spring wheat acreage is 101.7. The condition of all wheat is 87.6.

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WIDENING THE BREACH.

The Third Congressional Fight Takes a Bad Turn.

HOT MINORITY ATTACK.

A Circular Letter Is Being Sent Throughout the District.

ACTION EXPECTED TONIGHT.

Conferences Held, but the Troubles Were Not Settled.

The offices of Court Commissioner Babcock will again be the scene of the Third Congressional District Committee meeting tonight, when once more the primary dispute will claim attention. Whether the matter will be definitely settled or not is an open question, though several members state positively that a final decision will be reached. This seems probable, for the County Central Committee congregates on Friday and it is said that unless something decisive transpires tonight, it will take the reins.

There is a general rumor that already a definite compromise has been agreed upon which is satisfactory to the Davis faction of the primary men and to the Taylor committee. According to reports members of the old and new Congressional Committee, as well as the County Committee, held a secret meeting last night and fixed matters to their satisfaction.

A majority of the new organization had practically agreed upon a report as early as last week, though it was not to be binding unless certain concessions were made by the Taylor faction. All things being satisfactorily arranged these members are to come prepared tonight to turn down their opposing committeemen and vote their majority straight.

On the other hand, the Aldrich, Sands and Edgar portion do not believe they will be given no show and express doubts as to a final settlement tonight. If things are brought to a focus, several well-laid plans will be useless.

As the situation stands at present, there are direct charges made against some members of insincerity to their constituents who placed them in power, while statements are freely made that personal gain is controlling the actions of these men. The split is wide, despite the attempts to smother the fact and if the minority is not given a show, the feeling is liable to cause a bolt.

Aldrich, Sands and Edgar, who have stuck together on every proposition, though painfully in the minority, have prepared for circulation a letter which is to be sent to every Congressional Committeeman in the outside counties. It is as follows:

Oakland, June 8th, 1896.

To.....

Member of the Third District Congressional Republican Committee in and for..... of.....

Sir:—It is doubtless well known to the members of the Third District Congressional Republican Committee that there has been much ill will and difference of opinion between different factions of the Republican party on Alameda County.

The story of how the "Primary" and "Appointive factions fought out their differences at Sacramento it would be tedious to recount. Suffice it to say that the embers of that fire are not dead.

It has entered the minds of some Alamedans to endeavor to compromise and harmonize the differences and heal the wounds in the face of threats of Stephen T. Gage and the appointive faction in general "never to vote for Hilborn if he is nominated." They are even at this time breathing vengeance and have demanded as an ultimatum that the Convention shall be held—not in Vallejo as heretofore in good faith decided—but in Oakland or Martinez.

They also make it an ultimatum that the old Congressional Committee be resurrected and revivified and empowered to act with the members of the new Congressional Committee as a returning board, although they at the same time admit that the old Congressional Committee has neither life nor power.

In fact they go further and propose that the new Congressional Committee shall wholly abdicate and surrender any and all power it may have and a new Congressional Committee is to be selected at the Congressional Convention to be held in the future.

At least one-half of the Alameda County members of the Committee, if not two-thirds of the same, propose to stand by the principles for which we fought in Sacramento and to maintain that stand all along the line to the last. We meant what we said at the outset and we are not willing to repudiate it all by our acts now.

We are also unwilling to weaken the standing of our delegates Messrs. Parker and Belshaw before the St. Louis Convention by clouding our own title and by questioning our own authority as Congressional Committeemen. We have been and are willing to concede representation and equal representation to this faction upon election boards but we have the strongest reasons to believe that this whole matter is done for delay until after the St. Louis Convention in the hope that Denison and Hochheimer will be seated, when they will refuse to treat or compromise at all; and we seriously object to being used as mere railroad tools and when we have served a purpose being cast aside. It has been asserted that Mr. Denison instructs his friends not to enter into and compromise until after the decision of the contest at St. Louis and it is known positively who are thereby seated. This means that if Messrs. Parker and Belshaw are seated they will compromise; but if Denison and Hochheimer are seated then they want no compromise whatever.

At the last meeting of the Third District Congressional Committee there were proxies from Solano, Colusa, Lake and Yolo Counties voted at the meeting by residents of Alameda County. This we think unjust. We are willing that the other counties in this Congressional District should help to decide the quarrel in Alameda County if they think best and desire so to do because we know that they have an interest in the selection of a Congressman. If you desire to participate in the decision of our quarrel come and welcome, or if you cannot come and desire to give some one your proxy, give it to a resident of your own county. Then we shall have the true sentiment of the county districts.

It is believed by the triumverate that the call arranged and endorsed by it will receive two additional votes tonight. This has been the bone of contention for the last two meetings and additional support now seems to further complicate matters. The fact that the call is so radically different from the other partially agreed upon shows the difference existing among members.

The Aldrich call directs the convention to be held in Vallejo for the nomination of Congressional representatives and for the selection of a new Congressional Committee to succeed the one appointed in Sacramento. It provides for the apportionment as follows: Alameda, 47; Contra Costa, 9; Solano, 12; Yolo, 7; Lake, 3; Colusa, 4, and Glenn 3. It further states that delegates to the convention be elected direct in Alameda County at the primaries, or with the ultimatum of a convention following primaries.

The call also provides that all contests be considered by members occupying uncontested seats in the committee and concludes with directing the County Central Committee to call a primary election.

At the last meeting of the committee the voting generally stood 8 to 3. By a change of two votes the action will stand 6 to 5, if no additional members are present. Consequently tonight's meeting will be full of interest to politicians for the slightest flop on either side will cast the die.

MAD PANIC AT A FIRE.

Exciting Scenes in a Cloak Making Factory in Chicago.

All Escaped, But for a Time the Situation Was Very Critical.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, June 10.—Sixty cloak makers, who are employed at 492 South Morgan street, were thrown into a panic by a fire last evening and for a time it seemed as though some of them would be trampled to death in the scramble to escape.

Both men and women are employed in the cloak making establishments. When word of the fire had been given everybody made a rush for the stairway.

Those on the third floor made their way down to the first, but here they were stopped by employes from the first floor, who were afraid to run down the lower stairway, which was beginning to burn quite briskly.

Fully thirty-five men and women stood panic-stricken on the stairway while the flames ascended rapidly, just as a sheet of fire began licking at the feet of the foremost of those on the stairway he darted swiftly down the burning structure and escaped without a scratch.

Those behind him followed in quick succession until all but about three of the employes had escaped without serious injury.

These three, who were men, remained on the third floor until the fire department arrived and then they made their way down a ladder which was hoisted to a rear window.

Those in front of the building scrambled into the street and by means of another stairway. The flames were extinguished in a few minutes, as they were confined to the stairway.

SONOMA'S CELEBRATION.

Major Sherman Invited to Be Marshal of the Parade.

On Saturday next Sonoma will be the scene of a big celebration in honor of the raising of the first Bear Flag in the State. Delegations of Grand Army men from Oakland, San Francisco and other points in the State will attend and Major E. A. Sherman has been honored by being appointed Marshal of the parade.

Major Sherman came to Sonoma in '45 when it was the military center of the State. At that time Joe Hooker was the Adjutant, Phil Kearney, Major, and Stoneman, Lieutenant.

Major Sherman is in receipt of the following letter:

Sonoma, Cal., June 8th, 1896.

"Major E. A. Sherman, My dear Sir—On behalf of the Citizens' Executive Committee of the Bear Flag celebration, I invite you to be Marshal of the parade. We feel that you would be an especially acceptable and fitting officer since you were Clerk of the first Board of Trustees of this place.

The celebration will take place June 13th and the parade will consist of Native Sons, Grand Army men and the Firemen.

Awaiting your pleasure, I am your obedient servant,

BENJ. WELD,
Sect. Executive Committee."

SENT TO STATES PRISON.

C. H. Thompson Will Have Time to Regret His Forgery.

C. H. Thompson was sentenced to three and a half years in the penitentiary this morning by Judge Greene on the charge of forgery. His victim was a man named James Nelson who surrendered $15 to the accused as a consequence of Thompson's penwork. The prisoner's attorney, H. S. Aldrich, asked for the leniency of the court on the ground that Thompson had never been convicted of a felony before. The accused was placed on the stand and testified to the same state of facts.

Judge Greene, however, subjected Thompson to a rigid cross-examination, showing the life of the accused from birth up to the present time.

CHINA VERSUS JAPAN.

The International Complications Are Aired in Court.

The Japanese-Chinese battle, which was fought a few mornings ago in Mrs. Pedar Sather's kitchen by her Japanese and Chinese servants was re-fought this morning in the police court by A. A. Moore, Jr., representing Nge Sing, China's representative, and Judge Daniels, special counsel for George, the Jap.

The stories conflicted. Sing said that George smote him on the cheek, but he, being a Christian Chinaman, and not only a reader but a practicer of the precepts taught in the Bible, refused to return the blow. In fact he turned his other cheek to be smitten. This was George's pie, said the Chinaman, and he smote him sorely several times.

The Jap declared on the stand that Sing was the aggressor and that he only struck in self-defense. A regiment of his countrymen were in the lobby ready to swear to his reputation for peace and quiete, but after one, Mr. Kissmama, had testified to it, Moore admitted the rest would follow suit. He argued that the Chinese were a peaceful, unwarlike people and offered to introduce the record of the late Oriental disturbance to show their pacific predilections.

Judge Woods ruled the record inadmissible and then the prosecution wanted to bring Mrs. Sather into court. The Judge however, decided that he did not care to hear further testimony, but reserved his decision until tomorrow.

PREFERRED PRISON.

A Lad Goes to Jail Rather Than Suffer From Hunger.

Simon Brauler, the youth who broke a window in the saloon at Fifteenth street and San Pablo avenue, belonging to Ike Foster, pleaded guilty this morning to malicious mischief and was ready for his sentence at any time.

The boy reiterated the same pitiful story in court that he told to the officers when arrested, and still claimed to have broken the window so that he might be locked up, considering confinement with two meals a day better than liberty and hunger.

The court postponed the passing of sentence to tomorrow.

A Child Suffocated.

The inquest on the remains of the five-day-old son of Samuel G. Nix, of 269 San Pablo avenue was held this afternoon. The baby died yesterday of suffocation. He was being washed by his mother when she accidentally fell asleep and rolled on him.

LEACH IS THE ASSIGNEE.

Meeting of the Creditors of Charles B. Shear, the Insolvent.

An Attempt to Delay Proceedings Stopped by Judge Ogden.

Abe P. Leach was elected assignee of Charles Shear in Judge Ogden's Court this morning and was authorized to act on the presentation of a bond in the sum of $20,000.

Shear ran a hardware store at the northeast corner of Washington and Tenth streets and went into insolvency about two weeks ago with liabilities in the sum of $26,000.

Nearly all the creditors were represented before Judge Ogden this morning though some had attorneys on hand who were not duly accredited for the purpose. Among the latter class was the March Cycle Company whose claim against the insolvent amounts to $4,784.60, and the Dangler Stove Company of Cleveland whose claim amounts to $5,026.60. The latter of these was represented by Walter Mansfield of San Francisco and the March Company, by T. E. Haven. W. J. Robinson who appeared for a number of the creditors opposed the granting of permission to the March and Dangler representatives to vote in the election of the assignee for the reason that they did not show that they had been properly authorized to take part in the proceedings, as they had simply shown that they were counsel for the parties referred to. He contended that that fact did not authorize them to vote for an assignee, but, on the contrary, they should have been specially authorized in writing to perform that act. Messrs Mansfield and Haven referred to a telegram authorizing them to act for the creditors.

Judge Ogden, however, upheld Mr. Robinson's contention and refused the March and Dangler people permission to vote on the ground that they had not produced sufficient proof to entitle them to that right.

Mr. Haven wanted to have the matter of electing an assignee continued until he could get the requisite authority in writing but Judge Ogden said that he could not grant the motion, because the law was mandatory that the assignee had to be elected when the meeting of creditors took place. Furthermore, he held it would be unjust to delay the election simply to accommodate one or two creditors whose special object might be to advance some favorite of their own for the position of assignee.

AFRO-AMERICANS.

They Are Figuring Hard on Action With the Populists.

The Afro-American League decided last evening that to accept the invitation of the Young Men's People's Party Club to a joint conference to be held next Wednesday night was the proper thing, and the question now agitating the minds of the Afro-Americans is, will they capture the club or the club capture them?

They also concluded at their meeting that the colored vote should cut a more dashing figure in political circles, and by resolution order the Executive Committee to make every effort in its power to capture a police star and club for Fronzo Young, a member of the League.

The National Convention of the League will be held in Los Angeles on August 1st, and the local organization has set Tuesday, July 7th, as the night for electing its delegates.

NOTHING IN IT.

Denial of the Reports About the New Ferry Line.

A report has been circulated to the effect that the Alameda Electric Road connecting with the Laundry Farm branch would shortly be the terminus of a ferry system between Oakland and San Francisco. Statements gained currency that the company is now negotiating with H. A. Hebard for the use of the water front controlled by him, so that suitable wharves could be built.

When spoken to about the matter today Secretary S. H. Bass denied all the reports concerning the proposed ferry, stating that such an idea has not even been thought of.

Livermore's Water Company.

Articles of incorporation of the Livermore Water Company have been filed. The directors are James Stanley of Mission San Jose, Edward McGary of San Francisco, and W. F. Boardman, J. F. Carroll and E. P. Cook of Oakland. The company has extensive water rights near Livermore and proposes to supply Livermore and other towns in the county with water.

Sweeney to Lecture Here.

Rev. Z. T. Sweeney, who is one of the leading orators of the age, and whose descriptive powers are said to be unequaled by none, will lecture on Thursday, the 18th, at Hamilton Hall. Mr. Sweeney was United States Consul General to the Ottoman Empire from 1889 to 1891 and was Imperial Commissioner from Turkey to the World's Fair.

GROVER AND GOLD

Maryland and Connecticut Fly the Administration Banner.

GORMAN'S FORLORN HOPES.

He Thinks the Democracy Will Yet Get the Country.

FREE COINAGE OPPOSED.

The Indian Territory, Though, Is for the White Metal.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BALTIMORE, June 10.—Chairman H. W. Talbot of the State Central Committee called the Democratic State Convention to order today and announced Senator Gorman as temporary Chairman.

The Senator said: "We have come together today not to discuss local affairs. I would not give much for the Democracy of any man who would rake up the embers of the past and air private grievances at the expenses of his party."

The speaker referred in complimentary terms to President Cleveland and his administration. The Republican party, he said, was "a party of the dead."

He urged the Democrats to bury all differences and act in harmony in selecting an acceptable man to lead them. "For in this," he said, "the only hope of this great country lies."

Major Stewart moved that all resolutions be read before they were referred.

This was the first gun of the silver men. The vote was looked upon as a test. The motion was overwhelmingly defeated, not more than a dozen voting aye.

The Convention took a recess to enable the Committee on Resolutions to formulate a report.

The Committee on Permanent Organization reported the name of Gorman for permanent chairman which action the convention ratified.

Gorman made another speech in which he said he would join his hearers in re-organizing the party "so that never again in this generation would it pass from the control in this State and Nation."

The Committee on Resolutions then reported.

The resolutions favored a tariff for revenue only and endorsed the vigorous policy of President Cleveland.

The financial plank is a straight out endorsement of the present gold standard of currency and an emphatic condemnation of the free coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1.

Major Stewart presented a minority report in direct contravention to this, the reading of which was hailed with loud applause and which he offered as a substitute for the financial clause in the majority report.

Stewart made a speech of an hour's duration upon the silver question, at the conclusion of which his motion was overwhelmingly defeated and the majority report adopted.

CONNECTICUT.

Cleveland Again Endorsed and Free Coinage Is Decried.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HARTFORD, Conn., June 10.—The Democratic State Convention to select delegates to the National Convention and Presidential electors met here today.

M. B. Carey, temporary Chairman, in his speech, claimed consideration for the independent voters to whom several of the recent victories of the Democratic party were due. He scouted the proposition to reopen the fight on the tariff issue, and declared the fight now is on the currency question. He asked that the convention's platform be made to contain an unequivocal declaration for a gold standard, and that bimetallism in all forms be disavowed. He praised President Cleveland and ex-Governor Russell as uncompromising opponents of the debasement of currency, and whose leadership Democracy could safely follow. Relative to Presidential nominees, Carey said he hoped the convention at Chicago would select a man whose lips were not sealed on the questions of the day, and whose attitude could not be a matter of doubt.

Ex-Governor Waller, permanent Chairman, spoke briefly.

The report of the Committee on Resolutions was adopted.

On the subject of currency, the platform says: "While we favor the most liberal use of silver consistent with the enforcement of the gold standard, we are unalterably opposed to the free coinage of silver, deeming it a device for the debasement of our currency and the compulsory purchase of silver by the Government. Under the existing circumstances, to pay public debts in silver coin is repudiation. We believe the safety of our national finances requires a system of sound banking by which a bank note currency ample to supply the needs of the whole country shall be created, safely secured and always and everywhere redeemable in gold."

The platform endorses the administration of President Cleveland, and especially approves his "firm support of the public credit and his exemplification of the Monroe Doctrine."

In deference to the wishes of ex-Governor Russell of Massachusetts, expressed in a letter to Lynde Harrison, the delegates were not instructed on the subject of Presidential candidates.

INDIAN TERRITORY.

Silver Champions Who Want Bland Selected as President.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

INITA, I. T., June 10.—The Indian Territory Democratic Convention has elected four delegates from the respective nations of this territory and two delegates-at-large.

Free coinage of silver at ratio of 16 to 1 was indorsed, and the delegates instructed to vote for Bland for the Presidential nomination.

A "WONDERFUL WORLD."

Rev. Edwards Davis Has Selected a Good Theme.

The word picture "Wonderful World" of Rev. Edwards Davis and his stereoscopist Mr. William Pollard is what its title implies. The announcement states that it represents 20,000 miles of travel, viewing seventy incidental scenes of seven natural wonders of our continent, citing their respective scientific significance. The first of the seven scenes is the Natural Bridge of Virginia, showing law and following in logical sequence mystery in Mammoth Cave, power in Niagara, time in Grand Canyon, grandeur in Yosemite, heat in volcano Kilauea and death in Muir Glacier. The Rev. Mr. Davis has visited these several scenes, with one exception, and in consequence a graphic description may be expected. The pictures have been made almost invariably from original plates, and the descriptive views colored with artistic care.

When the lecture was delivered in Woodland it elicited the criticism from the Mail: "A Te Deum of oratorical harmony set to the music of blank verse." The auditorium of the Y. M. C. A. will undoubtedly be filled Friday night to hear Edwards Davis in his new role.

A Stock Scare.

NEW YORK, June 10.—A report from Washington that the President is about to send a message to Congress relative to Cuba, in circulation on the Stock Exchange, caused heavy selling all along the line. The market appeared full of "stop-loss" orders and yielded easily.

A DANGEROUS LOAD.

Chicago Police Are Trying to Solve a Mystery.

A Valise Filled With Dynamite, Percussion Caps and Bullets.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, June 10.—Captain Shippy and the police of Woodlawn station have a valise mystery on their hands.

Late on the afternoon of Decoration Day a middle-aged man went into the saloon of Elmer Barron, State street, and after taking a drink, secured the bartender's permission to leave a large-sized valise in the place.

He failed to return and yesterday Barron opened the satchel and found that it contained sixty half-pound sticks of dynamite, a lot of percussion caps and several boxes of 32-calibre bullets.

A number of the one-half pound sticks had been cut in two and fulminating cartridges inserted in the cut and ready for explosion at an instant's notice. One of the cartridges alone would kill a man and it was inserted into a charge of dynamite large enough to blow a house into bits.

Closely fitting in the bottom of the satchel was a peculiar shaped affair. It was constructed of wood and sheet tin and was strongly put together. Captain Shippy thinks it is a section of an infernal machine or possibly a contrivance used in the manufacture of bombs.

Captain Shippy considers it a strange case, and is thoroughly convinced it will be an important one. Said he last evening:

"I have every hope we shall find him. I have in mind the man whom the description fits exactly, for whom nearly every policeman in town have been looking for some time. I have fixed things so if the man is ever seen in this town again we shall have him."

Mrs. Dyer Hanged.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, June 10.—Mrs. Annie Dyer, the baby farmer of Rudbig, arrested on March 9th, on the charge of murdering many infants intrusted to her care, was hanged in Newgate Prison, at 9 o'clock this morning.

Patriotic Fruitvale.

The citizens of Fruitvale have invited Companies B and D of the First Regiment to participate in the Fourth of July celebration at that place. The militiamen will be the guests of the Fire Department.

Driscoll's Examination.

Attorney Donovan, representing Dan Driscoll, the petty larcenist with several priors today had the preliminary examination set for the 13th.

To Elect Teachers.

A special call has been issued to the Board of Education for a meeting next Friday night, at which time teachers will be elected.

DIED.

GILLIGAN—In this city, June 8, 1896, Mary, beloved wife of James and mother of Edward F., James, Thomas, Nellie, Jennie and Annie Gilligan and Mrs. Vincent Chloupeck and Mrs. Ernest Brown, a native of County Sligo, Ireland, aged 71 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend funeral THURSDAY, June 11, 1896, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., from her late residence, No. 167 Seventh street, thence to Church of Immaculate Conception, where a solemn requiem mass will be celebrated for the repose of her soul, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M. Interment, St. Mary's Cemetery, Oakland.

SWASEY—In Alameda, June 9, 1896, Marian Josephine Swasey, beloved daughter of the late George H. Swasey, a native of California, aged 3 months and 8 days.

BREMER—In Alameda, June 8, 1896, Christian, beloved husband of Magdalena Bremer, and father of Agnes D. and C. H. Bremer, a native of Holstein, Germany, aged 71 years, 11 months and 17 days.

Davis-Pollard, Friday night, Y. M. C. A.

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Of Elegant Parlor, Chamber and Diningroom Furniture, Cabinet Organ, Brussels Carpets, Etc., on Friday, June 12th, at 11 O'clock, A. M., at 1517 Franklin St., Near 20th, on Account of Departure.

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FLORENCE GLEISNER HERE

She is Landed by Detectives in the City Prison.

The Story of Her Mishaps Since She Ran Away From Home.

Florence Gleisner, the fifteen year old Oakland girl, who mysteriously disappeared from her home on May 20th, has been found and is now locked in the city prison on a charge of vagrancy preferred by Mrs. Prescott of the Humane Society. She was caught this morning in a San Francisco lodging house by the society officers and this noon Detective Williams brought her, bag and baggage back to Oakland.

Now the young woman has been found she talks freely of the time she had during her absence, and says that it was with young Harry Ledgett that she left. At first, she says, they took a room in a Broadway lodging house and lived there for a week or up to Memorial Day. The search for her made things too warm for them in Oakland so they mixed with the throng who were out to view the parade and went to San Francisco.

Ledgett had already secured rooms in a lodging house at the corner of Turk and Market streets and to these they went. He stayed with her until Sunday night after Memorial Day. Since then he has been going to see her.

The strange part of her story is that her mother, who to all appearances was the most anxious to find her, was at the rooms last Friday, having been brought by young Ledgett. Since then Mrs. Gleisner has kept her word not to reveal their secret, although her husband was almost crazed with grief at the absence of his child.

The mother was brought to her daughter for the ostensible purpose of giving her consent to the marriage of the children, the girl having demanded marriage of Ledgett. Mrs. Gleisner was willing the wedding should take place, but Ledgett pleaded that his father would not assent, the lad being still a minor.

Mrs. Prescott believes this part of Ledgett's story a hoax. The girl is still anxious to be married, and Mrs. Prescott will see the young man and his father to try and bring about a match.

The Wheat Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, June 10.—Wheat; June, 67⅝; July, 57. Corn: June, 27⅝; July, 27⅝.

ASSIGNEE'S AUCTION

Of Groceries, Spices, Teas, Etc., of the Globe Tea & Grocery Co., at No. 483 Seventh Street, Corner Washington, on Friday, June 12, 1896, at 10:30 O'clock A. M.

By order of the Superior Court, in the matter of Hansen & Lozano, co-partners under firm name of Globe Tea and Grocery Co., I shall sell at public auction, for cash, the stock of groceries, etc., contained at the late place of business of said firm and comprising miscellaneous groceries, canned fruit, canned fish, tea, coffee, spices, meats, pickles, sauces, wood and willow ware, soaps, sweet oil, cocoa, brooms, etc., etc., also cash register, platform and counter scales, showcase, coffee mill, counters, shelving, horse, wagon, etc., etc.

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Four rings, one with five sapphires in a row, one with a diamond and one a silver ring. Return to 1340 E. 14th st, Fruitvale, and be liberally rewarded.

LOST—Silver hunting case ladies' watch, no glass. Reward if returned to 1020 San Pablo ave.

LOST—On May 28, a Great Dane dog, S. F. license, and name Leo on collar. Finder please call at 1253 Broadway.

FOUND—A blue black overcoat, corner Twelfth and Webster. Owner can get same by calling at 352 Twelfth st.

LOST—Small round brown purse Thursday, May 15th, containing $15 in gold, silver and stamps; lost in the vicinity of Thirteenth and Fifteenth sts., between Alice and Broadway. Call for reward at M. S. Smith & Sons, 1154-58 Broadway.

$5 for information or return of red Irish setter, female, 5 months old, small white star on breast. 1009 Broadway.

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A Curious Case of Weakened Heart-Action.

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$2100—Cottage of 6 rooms and bath, lot 25x100, on Sixth st near Grove st.

$2300—For Sale or Exchange for unimproved property, cottage of 5 rooms, lot 25x100, on Chestnut st near 18th st.

$1750—Beautiful lot 50x132½, situate on Union street near Central avenue, Alameda, in choice residence section; a bargain; William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

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$1500—Great bargain for immediate sale; 180x100, situate on East Twenty-fourth street near Eleventh avenue, East Oakland; William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$4050—Good modern two story house of eight rooms and bath, situate on Grove street, near Fifteenth street; lot 47½x80; a bargain; $1000 cash, balance to suit; William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

SHARKEY IN TRAINING.

The Sailor Pugilist Starts Work in the Acme Clubrooms.

He Is Sanguine About the Result of the Coming Fight.

Thomas Sharkey, the sailor pugilist who is to stand up against James Corbett, champion of the world, for four rounds on June 24th, is the special guest of the Acme Club. He came over from San Francisco yesterday afternoon, with Denny Needham and a few friends and was at once taken charge of by the Acme boys.

The gymnasium has been thrown open to him and every facility for training offered. Needham is his trainer and as he thoroughly understands his business, he expects to have the sailor lad in fine condition when the fight is announced. Sharkey is living with Needham at the latter's home on Tenth street, and the utmost care is being taken of his diet.

Personally, Sharkey is a fine specimen of manhood. His broad shoulders and chest are excellently developed. His features are not by any means attractive, though the lines of determination and a resolute expression are considered particularly good points.

Upon the prize fighter's arrival at the club yesterday, he was beseiged with questions as to his condition and the probable outcome of the match. To all of his inquirers, Sharkey had the same quiet answer to give. He is not at all talkative and indeed rarely answers queries in long sentences. When he can say "Yes," or "No" are the accustomed replies and from the stand point of an interview, he is not interesting. Needham does most of the talking for the big man.

During the afternoon Sharkey took off his coat and punched the bag a little just to show his friends how he could do it but not until today did his active training begin.

This morning at half past six o'clock the big pugilist, Danny Needham, and another trainer, took a twelve mile jog over the country roads and on the return to the club, baths were taken. The hours for gymnasium work are from 2:30 o'clock to 4 o'clock and in anticipation of seeing the sailor stripped, a big crowd assembled at the club. The chief work was punching the bag, a game of handball and sparring with Needham. The afternoon was warm and Sharkey soon worked himself into a decided perspiration. The training will continue on these lines every day.

Last night the pugilist, with his trainers, were given a party at the Oakland Theater. The burly bruiser was the center of attraction during the evening, and at one time he was called upon for a speech, though he did not respond.

In an interview with a Tribune man, Sharkey stated in reply to a question as to his tactics in the ring: "I can't tell yet just what I will do, and I don't know how it will come out, but I will do my best. I think Corbett will know I've been in the ring before we get through."

The big man did not know whether he would make an offensive or defensive fight.

"You see," he said, "we can't say anything about that yet, for it all depends on what Corbett does. It will take us at least one round to get down to business, and then I'll know how to act."

Needham volunteered the information that Sharkey was not going to let any grass grow under his feet.

"It is needless to say that he will do his best," he said, "for think of the honors he could win with one good blow. Sharkey will enter that ring prepared to fight from the sounding of the gong, though whether it will be advisable remains to be seen at the time. Of course it is anticipated that Corbett will make a hurricane fight, but Sharkey will be in readiness for him. The result of the contest may mean a whole lot to the pugilistic world."

Among the sporting fraternity it is generally conceded that Sharkey has a very poor chance. Bets are free at even money that the sailor will not stand up to Corbett for more than two rounds if there is a rush fight. There is also plenty of Sharkey money floating around on such wagers, for from the man's physical make-up he certainly can stand some very severe punishment if no knock-out blows are landed. Then, too, there is always the chance that Sharkey will get in a knock-out, and consequently the meet really is of much importance, for the championship of the world may by chance be changed.

TO SETTLE UP.

The Washington's Birthday Celebration Committee Will Pay Bills.

The Washington's Birthday Celebration Comittee, is at last ready to close its accounts. Ever since the fact was known that there was a deficit of over $200, the ladies who were interested in the Committee have been industriously at work and have single handed raised the necessary amount all but $2.50.

Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Gardiner have been chiefly interested in the work and to them the credit is due. The money has been raised by donations from the various A. P. A. Councils and by entertainments arranged by the ladies as well as from individual subscription.

It is announced that some time during the week, a full meeting of the old committee will be called and warrants ordered drawn for all outstandings indebtedness.

Those who have investigated are not pleased with the way Secretary Charters turned over his accounts when his labors were concluded and it is said that several discrepancies are in evidence. The lady members have been unable to locate him since the celebration so many of the accounts had to be guessed at. However every thing will be straightened out this week.

AMUSEMENTS.

"From Sire to Son" Drawing Big Houses to the Oakland.

Milton Nobles and his excellent company drew another large and enthusiastic house to the Oakland Theater last night. Sterling talent always tells and the reputations Mr. Nobles and his wife Dollie have achieved stand them in good stead with the theater-going public. "From Sire to Son" is a first-class play and is staged at the Oakland in a very artistic manner. The attraction is one of the best seen in town for many a day.

THE MACDONOUGH.

The most unique and fascinating entertainment yet presented this season is booked for the Macdonough next Monday and Tuesday evening. It is Alexander Black's famous picture play "Miss Jerry." This is an entire novelty in the entertainment line and has been received with great favor in the East. "Miss Jerry" is a charming love story illustrated with stereopticon views and pictures of real scenes and real people. The play has the enthusiastic endorsement of some of the most prominent literary lights of the age. Sale of seats begins next Friday morning.

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Oakland—"From Sire to Son."
Baldwin—"In Missoura."
Morosco's—"Brother Against Brother."
Tivoli Opera House—"Lorraine."
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville.

PICNICS AT SHELLMOUND PARK.
June 13—Star of the Sea Parish.
June 14—Nord Deutscher Verein (to 11 P. M.)

WEDNESDAY.....JUNE 10, 1896

Cornell University will this year graduate the largest class that has ever gone forth from any university in this country. There are 401 candidates for degrees at Cornell this year, divided as follows: Mechanical and electrical engineering, 113; law, 65; graduates taking advanced degrees, 59; philosophy, 44; arts, 33; civil engineering, 26; science, 23; architecture, 19; letters, 13; agriculture, 6. It is remarkable that there are only thirteen candidates for degrees in letters. The disproportion in this respect appears to be greater than in any other of the leading universities.

Teaching as a fine art was recently strikingly illustrated by Theatrical Manager Belasco. He brought suit against a certain actress based on a charge for instruction. His method of tutoring an actress came out in his testimony: "I taught her to weep for the different emotions in a different way. So many, nearly all, the actresses on the stage weep in one way. They know only one way to weep. I pulled her around by the hair like Nancy Sykes. I would hit her head on the floor. I would throw her down and drag her around on the floor and beat her to give her the natural emotions. In fact, I tried in the brief period of one year and a half to make her such an artist as it would ordinarily take a woman a lifetime to become." For such high pressure instruction the theatrical instructor only wants a moderate fee. An instructor who will reach a woman to weep for the different emotions must have reached the very summit of art.

The Half and Half Street Watering.

Who is responsible for the destruction that is now going on in the streets of this city? If it is the Mayor, what does he think of the policy of saving a dollar by wasting ten dollars? If it is the Board of Public Works, how does such a public policy square with the best interests of the city? And finally, if the Council has any thing to do with the matter, would it not be well to take some cognizance just now of this waste?

Hardly more than half of the streets are watered in this city. Streets just as important as those that are watered, are neglected. About twelve water carts are in commission, against thirty that ought to be on the streets. Just now there is a disposition to shift the responsibility around so that it does not rest any where in particular. The Street Superintendent is hampered for money. But the one thing to do is to order out the water carts and let the responsibility for meeting the cost rest on other shoulders.

Today Oakland is afflicted with a policy that is letting more than half of the streets go to destruction. There is no defence for such a policy, and there never can be any. There is no financial exigency that requires ten dollars of waste for the one dollar that might be saved.

A Free University.

The Regents yesterday by a close vote, decided not to charge the students at the University tuition fees. It is true that ten dollars does not look like much of a fee. But to make such a charge would have been a departure from the settled policy of the University. There was really no exigency that called for any such departure. A considerable number of students are on the rolls who are working their way. They have little or no money. Ten dollars is a large sum for these young men. They came in from abroad, and are hard pressed for means to meet other current expenses.

It has been the glory of the University that its doors were wide open to every one having the requisite qualifications to enter. The fact that the institution is crowded is a happy circumstance. So large an attendance was not anticipated ten years ago. The very pleasure that will make it necessary to call upon the Legislature for means to erect new buildings, will justify a call to make good any deficit in the running expenses on account of the increasing number of students.

The Two-Thirds Rule.

The two thirds rule in nominating candidates in the Democratic Convention, has never prevailed in any other. In all the other political conventions the majority rule has prevailed. The two thirds rule was first adopted by the Democratic Convention held in Baltimore in 1832. Jackson was nominated without a dissenting vote. That convention in defining the order of business, declared that two thirds of all the votes cast should be necessary for a choice. An effort was made to rescind the two thirds rule in 1844, when Van Buren was a candidate for a second nomination. The convention refused to rescind, and Van Buren was defeated. But while the two thirds rule has prevailed for more than half a century, it has never been strictly enforced as to the platform. There is nothing in the political record to render a platform from acceptance in a Democratic convention by a bare majority. This distinction will probably be sharply observed at Chicago.

The Dividing Line.

If one were to accept some of the predictions of the political prophets, matters will be very much mixed in both of the national conventions. Two thirds of these speculations are not based on any known facts. The Republican Convention will have two or three well defined issues. The Democratic Convention will probably have as many. Both parties will go to the country on these.

The Republican Convention will declare for a Protective tariff. The country is ripe for such a declaration. It will have a leading place in the platform. There will also be a declaration for a gold standard, with some qualifications about silver. But there will be no declaration in favor of free coinage at a ratio of sixteen to one nor any other ratio. All the talk about the silver men bolting from the convention is just so much idle vaporing.

The Republicans have a well defined policy. There will be no radical departure from it. Nor is there any prospect that there will be any bolting from the convention. Even Teller, the radical silver man, goes to St. Louis under instructions to vote for McKinley. To do that, he must vote for the platform, or acquiesce in the adoption of the one which McKinley will endorse. There will also be an arraignment of the present administration for the failure to meet the reasonable expectations of the country. The whole policy of the Republicans can now be forecast as an aggressive one.

The Democratic Convention, meeting a little later, will be required to defend the present administration, and to endorse its policy. That alone would be fatal to a successful canvass. It will be forced to stand by the principle of free trade, and it must make a declaration of financial policy. If the silver men dominate, to that extent, there will be a divergence from the views of the administration. There is little prospect of any bolt, even if the free silver men prevail.

President Cleveland is credited with the declaration that he would sooner support McKinley on a tariff and sound money platform than any Democratic candidate on a free silver platform. Probably there are thousands of others in that party who feel the same way. But in the end, Democrats will stick to their party, even if they have to spit on the platform. There will be a great clearing of the political atmosphere within the next ten days.

The Unexpected Foe.

Slatin Pasha, who went with the Egyptian army to the Soudan, and who was snugly tucked away in prison by the Khalifa at Omdurman for seventeen years, is now settling with his old master. He has turned all his acquired information about the Soudan, its resources and military strength, to account for the army of invasion. In the first really great battle, nearly a thousand Dervishes were killed. Prisoners recognized the man who had been in captivity from about the time of the death of Gordon. Slatin Pasha may yet pay his respects to the Kalifa in his strong hold. This fanatical leader is unable to read, but his ears may tingle with the verbal news that Slatin Pasha is right after him for a settlement.

EVENTS OF THIS DATE.

A Daily Resume of History for Your Scrap Book.

On June 10th of the years named occurred the following important events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS.

Saints Getulius, Landry, Margaret, Blessed Henry.

BIRTHS.

1688—James, Prince of Wales, the Pretender.
1706—John Dolland, optician.
1710—James Short, maker of reflecting telescopes.

DEATHS.

1190—Emperor Frederick Barbarossa.
1735—Thomas Hearne.
1850—James Smith, promoter of sub-soil plowing.
1868—Samuel W. Inge, ex-Member of Congress from California.
1886—Robert Barry Coffin, "Barry Gray," author.
1887—Bishop W. B. Stevens, P. E. Church.
1888—Col. E. R. King Harman, Under Secretary for Ireland.

OTHER EVENTS.

1719—Battle of Glenshields, Sicily.
1731—Charles son of King of Spain, proclaimed King of Two Sicilies.
1768—John Hancock's sloop Liberty seized at Boston.
1772—British sloop Gaspee burned at Providence.
1801—War declared against United States by Tripoli.
1809—Excommunication of Napoleon by Pope Pius VII.
1847—First issue Chicago Tribune.
1861—Federals repulsed at Big Bethel, Va.
1863—Mexico City occupied by the French.
1864—Gen. Hunter moved from Staunton, Va., after destroying $3,000,000 worth of Confederate property.
1864—Federals repulsed at battle of Petersburg, Va.
1864—Frankfort, Ky., unsuccessfully attacked by 1200 Confederates.
1867—Hartford Carpet Company's buildings burned at Tariffville, Conn.; $1,120,000.
1871—Morse statue unveiled in Central Park, New York.
1873—H. B. Claflin Co. of New York indicted for smuggling.
1880—Tercentenary of the Portuguese poet Camoens celebrated at Lisbon.
1886—Twenty-four lives lost in fall of crowded stairway at Thiers, France.
1886—The English Cabinet dissolved.
1888—Opium smuggling ring broken up at Port Huron, Mich., after heavy operations.
1889—Cornerstone of the Confederate monument laid in St. Petersburg, Va.
1891—Concordia Opera House in Baltimore burned. Loss, $100,000.
1892—First annual reunion of Confederate Veterans held in Jacksonville, Fla.
1895—Greek Ministry resigned.
1895—New Jersey Senate passed a bill for preservation of the Palisades.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

A leading diplomatist now in England, who spent many years in Teheran, describes the new Shah as tall, calm and reserved. He is quiet in his manner, moderate in his demands and has fair abilities. Although not the eldest son, he was brought from his birth to succeed the late Shah. To this end he has been trained to rule as Governor of the large province of Azerbaijan. He is much married.

The Duke of Magenta, in marrying the Princess Marguerite d'Orleans has united himself to a great heiress. Princess Marguerite will inherit one-fourth of the huge fortune of the Duc de Chartres, while her mother, the Duchess de Chartres, will be the co-heiress of her parents, the Prince and Princess de Joinville, who possess enormous wealth. The Princess de Joinville is a daughter of the Emperor Peter I of Brazil, and when she was married in 1843 her dot in money and estates was about 7,000,000 francs. Princess Marguerite will probably be largely remembered in the will of her uncle, the Duc d'Aumale, with whom she is a great favorite.

Judge Gregorowski, the Orange Free State magistrate who tried and pronounced sentence on the Transvaal conspirators is of Polish origin, 39 years of age, and studied law at Gray's Inn in London.

One of the guests at the ceremony of unveiling the statue of Gen. William Henry Harrison in Cincinnati on Saturday was Bernard McDonald of Grant County, Indiana, now more than 80 years old, who acted as pallbearer at the funeral of General Harrison.

It is said that James Lafitte Smith, a clerk in the Washington postoffice, is the postoffice clerk who sold the first postage stamp and the first stamped envelope ever issued by this government, and who registered the first letters that were presented for registry when that system of mail protection was introduced in the United States. He entered the postoffice as a clerk in 1847 and is now 79 years old.

Andrew Lang says: "A difference in taste in books, when it is decided and vigorous, breaks many a possible friendship." He indicates the passport to his favor by telling us that "he or she who condemns Scott and cannot read Dickens is a person with whom I would fain have no further converse."

Whistler, the artist, wears a hat which measures nearly a foot and a half from one edge of the brim to the other. It is said that he looks like a lead pencil with a dinner plate balanced on top of it.

The largest permanent store of coined money in the world is in the imperial war treasury in Germany, a portion saved for emergencies from the two million pounds paid by France after the Franco-Prussian war, and locked up in the Julius Tower of the fortress of Spandau. It amounts to the value of six million pounds.

A gentle-faced woman hailed a hack on Congress street, Portland, on Sunday, desiring to be taken to the train. A woman who already occupied the carriage shrieked, "Don't you come near me," and ordered the driver most emphatically to drive on. The mildmannered woman looked for once indignant, but resorted to a horse car with the best grace at her command. It was afterward learned that the woman in the hack was Mrs. Hetty Green, and she feared the other woman might attempt to rob her. On hearing this the woman remarked that she would not feel that way for all of Mrs. Green's money.

MENU FOR TOMORROW.

THURSDAY, JUNE 11th.

BREAKFAST

Fruit
Steamed Hominy — Sugar and Cream
Broiled Tripe — French Fried Potatoes
Rolls — Coffee

LUNCH.

Grilled Sardines in Chafing Dish
Watercress — French Dressing
Fruit — Cocoa

DINNER

Consomme
Breast of Lamb, Broiled
Potatoes — Peas
Lettuce — French Dressing
Wafers — La Delicatesse Cheese
Strawberry Shortcake
Coffee

AFTER THE TORNADO.

Its Effect on Rentals, the Building Trades, Etc.

Business in real estate was quite active in the early part of the week, but the cyclone, as a matter of course, suspended everything in the way of immediate sales. It created a rental demand probably without precedent in the city, and nearly all the energies of the agents during the last two or three days have been devoted to strenuous efforts to find any kind of accommodation for applicants. These no longer ask a series of questions as to modern conveniences or make a number of demands as to repairs and alterations as conditions to their becoming tenants. Their only anxiety is to find a place of shelter, and renting was never so easy. Property which has become outclassed by more modern structures in close proximity, has lost its deserted appearance, and families have been moving in just as fast as they could secure wagons of any kind to haul in their furniture. Entirely apart from the families which lost all or nearly all their furniture, as well as their homes in the storm, the records of agents' offices show that there are thousands living in small houses and flats which have been rendered temporarily unfit for habitation. It is to the credit of owners and agents together that, with some unfortunate exceptions, there has been no attempt, as far as can be ascertained, to increase rents in consequence of the extraordinary demand. Even where property had been marked down for the express purpose of getting it occupied, after a long period of vacancy, the cut rates have generally been adhered to. Under ordinary conditions repairs could be effected so as to make many houses weather-proof in a few hours, but the demand for roofers, carpenters and plasterers is so extraordinary that many weeks will elapse in some instances before work not requiring more than a day or two, will be even commenced. People having buildings under contract for erection, especially rows of flats and dwelling houses designed for renting, are making strenuous efforts to get them completed ahead of time, and for the next few months, and probably a year, there will be an activity in every sense of the word.

Those who had contracts signed for building enterprises prior to last week are exceedingly fortunate, especially when they are protected by bonds to secure the completion of the work.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

NO PURE AIR.

Dust Particles Have Now Been Found on Mountain Tops and in Ocean Winds.

It has always been believed that there could be no dust in the air of midocean, or upon mountain peaks thousands of feet above the sea level, where the snows are eternal. But science has recently demonstrated that such is not the case. It has even gone further than finding dust in these places; it has counted with the utmost accuracy the number of particles in a cubic centimeter, says a writer in the New York Journal.

Dust measurements were made from air over the open ocean and in mountain regions at altitudes from 6000 feet to more than 13,000 feet. On the Bieshorn in Switzerland, which forms a part of the Alpine chain, containing the Rothhorn and Weisshorn, rising about 9000 feet above the Zermatt Valley on its east and some 8000 feet from the Zinal on the west, the observations showed that at an elevation of 6700 feet there were 950 dust particles in a cubic centimeter, which measures a little over a third of an inch. At 8400 feet elevation only 513 dust particles were found and at 13,600 feet above the sea the number diminished to 167 a cubic centimeter.

Over the Indian ocean the average number of dust particles a cubic centimeter was less than 500 for seven out of nine days and on five days was less than 400. During a thick fog in the Atlantic the air was found to contain 3120 dust particles per cubic centimeter, while in the clear region just beyond the fog there were only 280 dust particles in the same space.

Probably even few men of science would be able to tell how these particles could be counted, but a wonderful little instrument has been devised which makes the task an easy one. The dust counter which Mr. Fridlander employs contains a chamber, into which the air can be introduced, saturated with water vapor. Then it is slightly and quickly cooled. Owing to the fall of temperature condensation takes place on the dust nuclei, which then fall on the micrometer plate at the bottom of the chamber, where they are rendered easily visible for counting by the water layer which coats them.

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A LAZY, TRICKY HORSE.

He Played Lame and Was Well Named the Artful Dodger.

Some horses are as lazy as some men, and perhaps it would be equally true to say that some horses are as cunning as some men, but not many ever combine the two qualities of laziness and cunningness better than one whose performances are chronicled by Lady Barker. He was one of her horse friends in New Zealand, christened Artful Dodger, says the New York Mercury.

This name was given to him on account of the trick of counterfeiting lameness the moment he was put into the shafts of a dray. That is to say, if the dray was loaded. So long as it was empty, or nearly so, the Dodger stepped out gayly, but if he found it at all heavy he affected to fall dead lame.

More than once, with a new driver, this trick had succeeded to perfection, and the Dodger found himself back again in his stall with a rack of hay before him, while his deluded owner or driver was trying to find a substitute in the shafts.

In order to induce the Dodger to act his part thoroughly a drayman was one day appointed whom the horse had never seen. The moment the signal was given to start the Dodger, after a glance around which plainly said, "I wonder if I might try it on you?" took a step forward and almost fell down, so desperate was his lameness.

The driver, who was well instructed in his part, ran around and lifted up one sturdy foot after another, with every appearance of the deepest concern. Thus encouraged, the Dodger uttered a groan, but still seemed determined to do his best and limped and stumbled a yard or two farther on.

It seemed impossible to believe the horse to be quite sound, but the time had come to unmask him. His master stopped forward, and pulling first one cunning ear on the alert for every word, and then the other, cried:

"It won't do, sir. Step out directly, and don't let us have any nonsense."

The Dodger groaned again—this time from his heart, probably—shook himself, and, leaning well forward in his big collar, stepped out without a murmur.

HUMOROUS.

"But what has become of Jack, your little white dog?"

"This is Jack. As I am in deep mourning I had him colored black. It's more in keeping."—Le Journal Amusant.

Miss Della—What was the highest wind you ever encountered, captain?

Captain Olesall—Soda water at 25 cents a glass.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

"What became of the Jones boys?" asked the returned native.

"Bill stayed on the farm," said the resident native, "and Ed went to Sioux Falls and opened a law office."

"Oh! One makes hay and the other makes grass widows, eh?"—Indianapolis Journal.

"Where do you dine tonight?"
"I do not dine—and you?"
"Nor do I."
"Very good. Let us dine together."—New York Courier des Etats Unis.

A showman had an announcement stating, "Come and see the great sawed fish." A learned gentleman read it and informed the showman that he had made a mistake in the word "sawed," that it ought to be "sword." "Yer'd better come in an' see for yerself; the badmission is only tuppence," said the showman. So the learned gentleman paid his "tuppence," went in and was shown a large codfish sawed in half. "Yer ain't the fust genelman wot has tried to teach me 'ow to spell," grimmed the showman.—Household Words.

Foreigner—"This may be a free country, but I don't see that the freedom has any effect on the people. Such a patient, meek, subdued lot of humanity I never saw in my life. I should think a freeborn American would act as if he were monarch of all he surveyed."

Native—"Wait until you see a passenger car brakeman who expects soon to be a conductor."—New York Weekly.

STATE NOTES.

Only State producing asphaltum and bituminous rock.

San Francisco the Western gateway of American commerce.

Area set in orange groves, 71,000 acres.
Area set in prune trees, 65,000 acres.
Number of acres of land under irrigation, 3,850,000.
Nearly 5000 miles of railway in the State.
Second largest State in the Union; area 157,801 square miles.
Acquired by the United States, 1847.
Gold discovered January 19, 1848.
First State in value of gold product.
Total value of gold and silver product since 1848, $1,179,500,000.
Most diversified agricultural State in the Union.
Largest producer of honey.
Leading wine producing State.
Only raisin producing State in the Union.
The only State in which the olive thrives.
The home of the orange and the fig.
Leading producer of almonds, walnuts, etc.
Finest climate in the world.
The largest trees in the world.
San Francisco the third commercial city in the United States.
Largest per capita wealth of any State in the Union.
Admitted to the Union September 9, 1850.
Population in 1850, 864,694; in 1890, 1,205,291; in 1895, 1,650,000.
Ranked twenty-second in population in 1890.
Ranked sixteenth in per centage of growth from 1880 to 1890.
San Francisco is the leading whaling port of the world.
San Francisco is the distributing point for nearly 400,000,000 pounds of sugar.
Capital invested in dairies, over $105,000,000.
Total number of milch cows in the State 739,036.

Geographical Lore.

Vienna is 1115 miles from Washington.
Chicago is 900 miles west of New York.
Boston and New York are 217 miles apart.
Tucson, Arizona, is 1695 miles from St. Louis.
Cario is 5848 miles southeast of Washington.
Gibralter is 3150 miles southeast of Washington.
Halifax is 730 miles northeast of Washington.
Honolulu is 4512 miles west of Washington City.
From Washington to Athens, Greece, is 5005 miles.
San Francisco, California, is 3250 miles west of New York.
London is 3315 miles northeast of Washington City.
Copenhagen is 3963 miles distant from Washington.
It is 1077 miles from New York to Jacksonville, Florida.
Jerusalem is 5495 miles east of our National capital.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

Pigs Caught in Traps.

"Young Mr. Vanderbilt is very much averse to having his big estate near Asheville invaded by the swine of his country neighbors," said J. B. Powell, of North Carolina, at the Hotel Page. Until recently, however, he was at a loss to hit on a plan to keep the 'razor-backs' from intruding on his property. He didn't want to kill them outright for fear of incurring lawsuits and maybe the vendetta, which, in the long run, is more troublesome than trial by jury.

"But there are plenty of wildcats and catamounts on the Vanderbilt tract, 90,000 acres of which is almost in a virgin state of forest and mountain, and there was no reason why traps should not be set to catch these wild members of the feline tribe. That the traps were made big enough and strong enough to imprison a wandering hog that was out of his proper territory was no ground for complaint. When the traps were first put in operation they caught a few wildcats, but a great many more porkers. Then it dawned on the owners that it would be better to pen up their swine than to imperil their existence, and so they no longer roam at will over the Vanderbilt demesne."—Washington Post.

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Best whiskey for medicinal purposes at Bouquet Bros., Galindo Hotel bar.

Half Rates to St. Lous Via the Burlington Route.
A special vestibuled train will leave Oakland Thursday, June 11th, at 10:30 A. M., with the delegates to the Republican Convention at St. Louis. Parties wishing to take advantage of these reduced rates may do so by notifying H. W. Lownsberry, Pass. Ag't, 962 Broadway, Oakland, or W. D. Sanborn, Gen'l Ag't, 32 Montgomery St., S. F.

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The California and Nevada Railroad.
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NOT ALL HARMONY.

Unexpected Criticism of the Oakland Exposition Board.

MERCHANTS IN CONFERENCE.

Opposition to a Motion to Endorse the Coming Fair.

THE CONTRA COSTA ROAD.

Tradesmen Make an Appeal as Regards Insolvent Contractors.

The directors of the Merchants' Exchange held their usual weekly meeting last night at which a number of subjects were discussed.

The chair was occupied by President Witcher and C. P. Visher acted as secretary.

The following communication from a committee of the Oakland Exposition Association was read,

"OAKLAND, June 6.—The undersigned have been instructed by the directors of the Oakland Exposition to cordially invite your valuable assistance in promoting the success of an exposition of the products of this county to be held in Oakland next August.

"The first venture in this direction has been looked upon by many as the inauguration of a new movement for the permanent advancement of local interest. It is an enterprise in which we know all bodies and individuals, working in the interests of Oakland and Alameda County, can consistently co-operate.

"Trusting that you will so consider it and see your way clear to doing a share of the work necessary to make this year's exposition proportionately a greater success than the one held last December, we are yours truly,

"M. J. KELLER,
"THEODORE GIER,
"H. O. TROWBRIDGE,
"Committee Oakland Exposition."

George L. Fish moved that the secretary be instructed to correspond with the Exposition Association and ascertain what that organization wished the Merchants' Exchange to do in the premises.

The motion was put and carried unanimously, but Fred Sinclair said that he had intended to say something before the vote had been taken. He was, however, allowed the floor to speak on the subject.

He was opposed, he said, to doing anything with the communication except to lay it on the table. The proposed exposition was to be run by a private corporation. The original intention of the undertaking was that the proceeds were to be given to a charitable institution. On that proposition merchants and citizens had stepped up to make the affair a success and it was a success. There had been a profit of $1700 and it had been misappropriated by a private corporation. The affairs of that corporation were no concern of his or the other members of the Exchange. If the profits had been $2000 or $5000 or $10,000 the disposition of them would have been just the same. If the money was to be diverted to charity it would be all right. The exposition should be encouraged. But, as the money was to be diverted to a private corporation, he was opposed to it. That was why the celebration of the Fourth of July had been knocked out, just to make a success of the Exposition. He did not think, however, that the celebration could have been made a success. He could not see any reason why the members of the Exchange should aid in booming the Exposition.

Director Champlin interrupted and asked if it were not the intention of the Exposition Association to establish a permanent exposition.

Mr. Sinclair said that such as he understood it was the intention, if the Exposition should pay. But the present Association had no right to appropriate to itself that $1700 which belonged either to the people or some charity. If they wanted to put that money into a trust fund and add to it from time to time, until they should get money enough with which to erect a permanent exposition building such an idea would be a laudable one.

George L. Fish said that in support of his motion he wished to say in a spirit of fairness that it seemed to be the tendency in Oakland to pull down and decry any enterprise in which they were not directly interested. There were some men in th Exposition Association that he had no use for, and at the same time, there were some very good men there who were disinterested and worthy of assistance. There were some there who were not looking for personal gain. In considering the matter he had come to the conclusion that it would be for the credit of Oakland to have that permanent exposition. If the Exposition managers had pledged the proceeds of the last Exposition to charity he knew nothing about it. He had been invited to become one of the managers and had declined. He differed from some of the managers as to their projects. They had advertised to exhibit only Oakland products. Now, a friend of his (Coward) had a Liverpool salt on hand. That Liverpool salt was made, as he was glad to know in Alameda County. He would say let the Exchange help the Exposition. He moved that the communication be received, and an answer forwarded tendering the Exposition the assistance of the Exchange and asking what the Exchange could do in the premises to make the Exposition a success. Somebody had to get up these affairs. If old 'M. J.' did not do it some other body would.

Fred Sinclair said he was not opposed to any Exposition, but the papers had published coupons for the purpose of ascertaining to what charity the proceeds ought to go. He had been told by Secretary Roeth that he could make an exhibit in the first Exposition because he was dealing in the products of Alameda County, but he had said that he did not want to.

J. F. W. Sohst seconded the motion of Mr. Fish.

George W. Arper said the question had two sides. If the matter had come to be a private enterprise and the funds went to private individuals, there was no reason why the Exchange members should lay awake at nights to help a few private individuals to put money in their pockets. If the Exposition was going to be a concern which would help the city and county along instead of private individuals, then it ought to be encouraged. He thought, however, that the scope of the Exposition was too narrow. He did not think that the display ought to be limited to the products of Alameda County. It was a narrow, contracted and unbusinesslike proposition. The Mechanics' Fair in San Francisco was a different proposition. It was for the purpose of advancing the interests of the projectors. The merchants were not asked to aid in making it a success. If the local exposition is a private affair then it ought to be handled as a private affair. He thought it might be advisable to lay the motion over for two weeks in order that the directors might be able to see what the Exposition Association intended to do in the matter.

Mr. Fish did not press his motion further and the matter was continued for two weeks.

CONTRA COSTA ROAD.

J. F. W. Sohst, of the committee on the proposed road to Contra Costa County, said that at the next meeting of the directors the committee would have a map of the proposed road showing the grade and length and direction of the same up to the summit, through the Medau property. He said also that Mr. Medau wanted to be guaranteed a fence along the road when extended through his property. The route in prospect would be two miles in length. He suggested that E. F. Adams be seen and his permission be secured to allow the road to go through his property. If Mr. Adams should not feel disposed to allow the road to run through his land the Kennedy road might be used, and the deeds to the road, he said, are now available. It would be necessary to know which route would be followed because the Supervisors would not build two roads. The road should be built to the summit and then the Contra Costa people should do the rest. He said that all the members of the Exchange should examine the route for themselves and not leave the matter to the committee. The grade of the Medau road would be in the main 2 per cent, but, in some instances, it would be for a short distance 7 per cent, because it was necessary to avoid the Gibson property. He said further that Mr. Walker had gone to Contra Costa County to see Mr. Grant on the proposed road.

President Witcher said that it was extremely desirous to ascertain the relative length of all the proposed routes and bring the facts before the directors at the next meeting.

D. C. Brown said that the map now in course of preparation would afford the desired information.

A TRADES MATTER.

R. Wland of a committee of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, Oakland Union No. 36, then extended greeting to the Exchange and took occasion to decry dishonest methods used in building trades, which affect honest workmen and as a consequence, affect merchants in a most serious manner. Mr. Wland read an address as follows:

"This, the first visit of a body of men of organized labor to the merchants of this city, is, I believe, a new departure. No one will stop to argue the question that something should be done in the several lines of trade in our city to improve their condition. We will try and confine what we may say largely to the building trade. Every industry touches elbows all along the line and what effects the mechanic effects the merchant and whatever is done to benefit the one the other shares in proportion. In all my experience I have never been in a place where mechanics received a fair compensation for their labor that the merchants did not prosper also. When labor stops everything stops. Now let me deal with a matter of which there is general complaint and, I believe there is not a fair-minded man who does not agree that is is a wrong that should be righted. It is where a man follows a business in a neglectful manner, figures upon a basis on which no man can live and then tries to deal justly with other men in the community. He underbids, cuts down living wages and falls short on the several bills contracted with material men on each job. But he schemes along, taking from one job to help another. Finally, he fails, goes through insolvency, pays 10, 20 or 50 cents on the dollar, gets his legal release and again bobs up ready to repeat the trick, bid in the open market against the man who struggles heroically to meet his obligations, pay his bills as they become due and attempts to be a man among men.

"We are not here to say what we are going to do about this, neither are we here to say what you must do, for the other man must do. But we are here to give utterance to views on some of these matters. We believe a halt should be called and in such a way so that when it is called it will be from a united body of business men in the different avenues of trade who intend to see that this reckless method of doing business shall stop. We believe that there is brain and brawn and grit enough in Oakland to show to the commercial world that Oakland will not be lacking in the endeavor to better her condition, commercially ,socially, and morally. Unless we have a moral standing upon which we can base our community in the different avenues of trade certainly will strive in vain for commercial prosperity. Unless we make an effort in this direction it looks as though we put a premium on this reckless method of doing business. Some of the contractors referred to who do not care whether they pay their just debts or not, dress a good deal better than the average mechanic who makes every endeavor to make ends meet. These matters have been noticed by members of our craft. It is neither plumb, square nor level."

Mr. Wland then gave a number of examples of this reckless underbidding on work and said:

"Merchants will find out the effects later when they fail to make their collections. Every honorable business man and men of every craft of this city and men in every calling from the pulpit to the humblest walks of life we think should join in the clarion call of 'stop.' Let us as men take an account of stock, not of merchandise alone, but honesty, integrity, morality and whatever goes to make men and conditions better. The material with which to do this work is within reach. No land has been more blessed with natural resources, yet the conditions here are anything but what they ought to be in Oakland."

Mr. Wland's address was applauded and called forth quite a discussion.

William Waller said he had just come from the meeting of contractors who had done work on Encinal Hall in Alameda, where F. M. Farwell of this city had done about $900 worth of work, and he himself had done plumbing of about $600 and neither of them had got a cent on the work. He did not see what could be done to remedy things. A man could come here without $500 and get a contract for $10,000. In a certain sense, the owner of the structure was to blame. He generally wanted to get a building up pretty cheap. There was no way to prevent this dishonesty unless merchants refused to let the goods go out of the store.

W. J. Reed, the lumber man, agreed with Mr. Moller that there seemed to be no remedy for the abuse save by refusing to sell goods.

G. W. Arper said that all the merchants are defrauded. A merchant could not be in business six hours without becoming a victim to some deceit. This was largely due to dead beats. Oakland is the promising and favored asylum of the professional dead beat. The beauty, the trees, the sky of the place seem to attract the beat. The dead beat and the professional do-us-up came in here and found that it was a good place to catch suckers. The merchants had been milked and milked and milked until the milk of human kindness had almost been exhausted. Now came the cry of the mechanics. He said that that state of facts showed the necessity of a close union of business men which would require identification on the part of every person seeking credits. If they should insist on identification they would be protected against much loss.

William Moller said he had been trying to get the Plumbers' Union to agree to figure no more on contracts, but to give figures to the man who wanted to put up a building. If that could be done and all the trades would do the same thing, all the annoyance complained of would be avoided.

J. S. Wixson said he believed that business men and mechanics had the remedy in their own hands. If the merchants would refuse to sell to a man who had failed and failed to pay less than 100 cents on a dollar, and if the mechanics refused to work for a contractor who took work at losing figures or who could not give a satisfactory bond, a great deal of the evil complained of would be avoided.

W. E. Perreau said that one of the reasons why there was so much fraud in building was because material men gave private and secret underprices to some contractors.

J. F. W. Sohst said that the evil complained of existed because merchants and mechanics did not inquire into the standing of customers before dealing with them.

George L. Fish said the laws of California are wrong. Defrauded mechanics and merchants have no redress. If there could be co-operation of merchants and mechanics, by which a man would have to show his hand before he could receive credit, a great deal of benefit would be experienced. They would have to go to Sacramento to get relief.

R. Wland said they had sent some attorneys to Sacramento to make a lien law as full of holes as a colander. He thought if they would get together there is enough brain, brawn and grit to bring about a remedy. His union was making an effort to get every carpenter in town to join the organization so that if one of the members failed to get his pay the defaulting contractor would not be enabled to get a man to drive an eight-penny nail on another job.

G. L. Fish moved that an invitation be extended to the various trades to attend the next open meeting of the Exchange and discuss the subjects which would insure to the best interests of the merchant, laborer and contractor.

Acting Secretary C. P. Visher reported that the receipts from March 16th to June 9th were $229, and the disbursements $446.32. The balance in the hands of the treasurer was shown to be $82.43.

The report was referred to the Finance Committee.

President Witcher was empowered to select a temporary acting secretary to fill in the time between the retirement of Mr. Visher, who resigned last night, and the return of Welsh N. Pearce three weeks hence.

The directors then adjourned.

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Editor Tribune—Sir: Even to the most cursory reader of the daily papers and the most casual observer of the signs of the times, it is apparent that the inevitable trend of public sentiment in this broad land among the masses is toward a change in the money system of our Government, whereby silver as money may be restored to its full function as a medium of exchange, having equal purchasing and debt paying power with gold at a certain fixed ratio. This sentiment is so largely preponderating that it is rapidly crystallizing into action, and it will roll up and into the National Conventions of the several political parties of the country soon to be held, as a mighty, uncheckable, irresistible tidal wave, and that party represented by the delegates deliberating in any of such conventions that does not mount this wave and ride it out before the intelligent masses of this land will surely become engulfed. No barrier can be erected so strong as to withstand its incalculable force.

This sentiment may be a delusion, a dangerous fallacy, an ignis fatuus, a pernicious doctrine, a vicious heresy and all the other dreadful things derogatory for which qualifying phrases are found in the vocabulary of the gold advocates, but the stubborn fact remains that the belief that the free coinage of silver is the one panacea for all our national ills is so deeply, so thoroughly rooted and grounded in the minds of the masses of this country that no amount of logic or sophistry emanating from the opponents of the policy can reasonably be expected to alter the conviction. And right here I would emphasize this point: The people—that is, the masses—have become educated in the school of experience to know this fact, that whatever Governmental policy is for the best interests of the bankers, the money kings, brokers and gamblers, is not best for them, and therefor on general principles they are opposed to the measures or the men upheld and advocated by the former.

Rumors are now rife that there exists a deeply laid plot on the part of the advocates of the gold standard among the bankers and money gamblers of this country and England to defeat the will of the people by the free use of gold as a corruption fund. Not that money is to be used in buying the votes of individuals at the November election, but in buying the people's representatives who sit as delegates in the National Conventions so as to insure a declaration in the platforms promulgated from such conventions opposing the free coinage of silver and advocating either the single gold standard or bimetallism, that latter something that the average man does not understand, and the complexity of which would not be at all simplified or cleared up by the ambiguous phraseology that would be employed to express it. This would be done with the hope that the masses would accept it as the fruit of the concentrated wisdom of their representatives and leaders and would support the ticket of their respective parties, standing on such a platform. To my mind, there never was a greater delusion cherished than this.

Now as to parties: It is self evident that the People's or Populist party will declare for free coinage. It is not much less evident that the Democratic party will do likewise, albeit there is a strong gold following in the ranks of that party. It is nearly as evident that the Republican party will declare for the single gold standard or will indulge in some high sounding, meaningless phrases in its platform concerning "sound money" and keeping the two metals, gold and silver, as money, at a parity, etc., etc. I am a Republican, but I unhesitatingly affirm it as my belief that the Republican party cannot win in the impending contest standing on a gold platform, or a platform in which there is no silver plank, clear, plain, unmistakable, even with Hon. William McKinley surmounting it as the standard bearer waving the white flag of protection. No, sir, this cry of protection as a slogan has not the electrifying effect that it would have were the greater issue not existing. Link with this free silver, so that the war cry may be "Free Silver and Protection," then indeed would the people, North, East, South and West, take it up and make the welkin ring with their glad enthusiasm, and the ticket standing as the exponent of these two great principles would provoke a perfect deluge of votes, which would sweep it into power beyond all controversy.

Should the Republican National Convention be dominated and controlled by the gold advocates, and a declaration be made for the continuation of the present money system of the Government, then let it prepare for its defeat, for there will go out from that convention a man strong and mighty as a champion of free silver, Senator Teller of Colorado (and not a few will go with him). At the convention of the National Silver League to be held in the same city on the 22d of July, I believe this man will be taken up and made the nominee for the Presidency on a platform declaring for free silver and protection to American laboring men, not American manufacturers. In the same city, at the same time, will be in session the National Convention of the People's party. Between these two deliberative bodies of representative American citizens there will be but little, if any, divergence along the lines of Governmental policy; they will practically amalgamate, and I believe that Senator Allen of Nebraska will be put on the ticket as running mate with Senator Teller, who is strongly indentified with Populism—and these two fearless, outspoken champions of the people, standing on a people's platform, would constitute a ticket inspiring, electrifying, irresistible, invincible, and would, I believe, draw the votes of the masses in overwhelming numbers, because it would be the people's ticket against the plutocrat's ticket, and, after all, that is really the issue that is to be fought out in this contest.

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Harry Melvin is in Santa Cruz.

Robert Smilie is in Fresno.

Mrs. P. J. Harding is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Mowder of Woodland.

Al Francis of this city has gone to San Andreas.

J. C. Bontman left Washington yesterday for Oakland.

J. Rice of this city is in Nevada City.

D. C. Bromwell is in Chico.

Miss Myrtle Cromwell, who has been stopping in this city, has returned to her home in Rocklin.

J. F. Chandler will leave for the East next week.

Mrs. Senator Denison and daughters will leave Monday for Santa Cruz.

Dr. W. F. Lewis and Dr. Russell Cool are in Santa Cruz.

Thomas Whalley is in Santa Cruz.

Mrs. Laura M. Knight and Miss Knight of Vermont, and Mrs. Howard C. Frick of Chicago, are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Meigs.

Mrs. O. G. Heaton has returned from a visit to her parents in Pomeroy, Wash., accompanied by her sister, Miss Jennie Farnsworth.

Mrs. Sarah A. Davis is in Oakland visiting her granddaughters, Mrs. T. T. Dargie and Mrs. F. A. Merritt.

Mrs. G. P. Moore, wife of the manager of the Piedmont Baths, is stopping at the El Monte Hotel, Sausalito, this week.

The engagement is announced of Miss Hipster Burr of East Oakland and William Barrows. The wedding will take place July 1st.

Deputy Coroner Henry Quellen will leave in a few days for Portland.

Thomas P. Emigh Jr., A. Sutherland, Fred Butterfield, Chas. Smille, Fred and Ed Campbell, Fred Smith, Thos. J. Thompson, Horace Steward, Seymour Phelan and Sidney Mott left this morning for La Honda on a camping expedition. They expect to be absent a month.

Prof. Jules Huegen, the popular manager of Howard Springs, is in town for a few days. He says the springs are enjoying a fine patronage and numbers several prominent Oaklanders among the guests.

ST. MARY'S ALUMNI.

Officers Elected and a Big Time at the Annual Banquet.

The following officers have been elected by St. Mary's College Alumni Association: Frank J. Kierce, class of '82, President; Stephen L. Sullivan, class of '93, Vice President; John E. Richards, class of '87, Secretary; Edward R. Myrick, class of '91, Treasurer. These officers, with T. C. Coughlin '93, Hugh J. McIsaac '96, and Joseph L. Taaffe '95, constitute the Board of Directors of the Association.

The annual alumni banquet was held in Conservatory Hall of the Palace Hotel on the 2nd inst. Quite a large gathering of the graduates were present and an enjoyable evening was passed. Toasts were made by the following: "The Alumni of St. Mary's," F. J. Kierce '82; "Our Alma Mater," Frank J. Murasky '83; "What We Were," John E. Richards '87; "Our College Days," Stephen L. Sullivan '93; "Our Commercial Men," Colonel J. C. O'Connor '77; "Our State," John T. Greaney '89; "Our Future," Peter W. McGlade '88; "The Class of '96," Hugh J. McIsaac '96; The quartette of the class of '96, consisting of John L. Jaunst, Henry J. Swordes, Joseph L. Taaffe and J. Henry Long, sang several selections during the evening.

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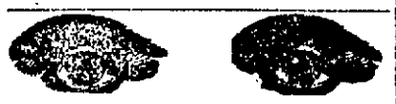
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TO REINSTATE BUNNELL.

Regent Wallace Makes the Initial Move for the Professor.

Final Disposition of the Project to Tax the Students.

At the meeting of the University Regents yesterday, Regent Wallace announced that at the next session he would move to displace Professor Flagg and reappoint Professor Bunnell. The Regent said that Mr. Bunnell was considered an ideal professor and many eminent teachers had borne testimony of his excellence as a teacher.

Judge Wallace continued his advocacy of Professor Bunnell's case by giving Professor Flagg a dig. He said: "Flagg, when poor and friendless, was taken to Professor Bunnell's home, and the fact has now come to light that the movement to displace Bunnell was Flagg's work. I propose now, as an act of justice, that Flagg shall be turned out and Bunnell put in his place."

A proposition to tax students $10 a term for incidentals came up for consideration. Regents Hallidie, Miller, Martin, Marye and Phelps supported the measure, while Regents Wallace, Foote and John E. Budd opposed it vigorously. The proposition was not carried on the roll being called.

The citizens of Berkeley petitioned for an opening to be made in the north side of the college grounds, so that carriages could be permitted to cross. The request was referred to the committee.

The Finance Committee reported in favor of lending $50,000 to James R. Lankershim, taking as a security a mortgage on building and property on the southeast corner of Third and Spring streets, Los Angeles, the property being valued at over $100,000.

Regent Reinstein urged that some steps be taken to award a contract for work on the affiliated colleges before June 30th, in order to prevent the lapse of half the appropriation to the State Treasury. On inquiry it was found that the plans have not been returned from Sacramento and no work can be done until the plans are approved by the Governor, Secretary of State and Treasurer. The Regents discussed the matter thoroughly, Regent Wallace adhered to his previously expressed opinion that the Regents were not governed by the State law bearing on the constructions of buildings and said the Attorney General had been asked for an opinion on the subject. The matter will be discussed further at the next meeting.

Regent Hallidie wanted a test case made of the refusal of the State Printer to do the University printing, but Regent Phelps explained that the Legislature had passed an act requiring State Boards to pay for printing from their various appropriations.

The Regents adjourned to meet Tuesday, two weeks hence.

CORBIN'S FUNERAL.

A Distinguished Attendance to Participate in the Services.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, June 10.—The funeral of Austin Corbin took place from St. Bartholomew's Church yesterday.

Bishop Williams of Rhode Island officiated, assisted by Rev. R. C. Booth, assistant rector of St. Bartholomew's, and Rev. Dr. W. B. Huntington, rector of Grace Church.

The church was crowded with relatives and friends.

There was an unusual number of handsome floral offerings sent by the many friends of the railroad magnate. Bishop Williams paid a high tribute to Mr. Corbin's memory and alluded to the many enterprises in which he was so engaged at the time of his death.

The pallbearers were Cornelius Vanderbilt, W. E. Chandler, Sir Roderick Cameron, Gen. B. F. Tracey, Dumont Clarke, J. Rogers Maxwell, Chas. M. Pratt, Jr., G. K. Duer, A. N. Parlin and W. B. Kendall. The body was taken to Woodlawn on a special train and placed in the family vault which was built by Mr. Corbin a year ago.

SPAIN WANTS WAR.

That Is the Opinion of Correspondent James Creelman.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

CHICAGO, June 10.—A special to the Chronicle from Springfield, O., says:

James Creelman, the war correspondent who had to leave Cuba recently by orders of General Weyler, says he thinks there will be a war with Spain.

He says the American people will be thunderstruck when the documents in possession of the State Department are made public.

Spain is anxious for war.

Twenty-five million dollars worth of American property has been destroyed in Cuba and many Americans killed without provocation.

A SUFFRAGE CONVENTION.

The State Association to Hold a Session Here This Week.

The Suffrage Convention of the State Suffrage Association will be held at the Tabernacle on Friday and Saturday of this week. There will be two sessions each day, at 3 P.M. and 8 P. M.

Rev. Anna Shaw will be present at all the meetings as will also Miss Hay, Miss Mills, Rev. Mrs. Wilkes and some local speakers.

There will be no admittance fee and a general invitation is issued to the public. Oakland ladies who desire to contribute flowers and ferns are requested to do so before 9 o'clock Friday morning.

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AUSTRIA AND CRETE.

The Minister of Foreign Affairs Explains How They Stand.

It Is Understood That Annexation Is Not Sought by Greece.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

NEW YORK, June 10.—A special to the Herald from Vienna says:

In an address to the Austrian delegation Count Goluchowsky, Minister of Foreign Affairs, explained the foreign policy of the Government. In the course of his remarks declaring that the situation in Crete was of such a character that it was impossible to say what would happen next.

The condition of things prevailing in the island, he said, was due to the maladministration of public affairs by the Turkish authorities.

Turkey, he added, ought to take measures in her European and Asiatic provinces which would justify confidence in the vital forces of the Ottoman Empire, otherwise he said Turkey's best friends, including Austria, would be unable to prevent the empire's fall.

In an inspired article which appears in the Weiner Tageblatt, according to news emanating from Constantinople, the Porte is said to apprehend that there will be further complications in connection with the rising in Crete. We do not here think so. The news from Constantinople as from Athens is unreliable. In Constantinople they are said to fear that Greece wishes to annex Crete, and that Russia and France will help.

The Greeks say they absolutely do not wish to annex Crete. Greece has sent out a memorial to foreign Ministers which asks other powers to plead with Turkey that order may be restored in the island. All the powers approached Turkey in that direction. Thus it is wrong that in Constantinople they should seek to place the responsibility on Greece. Russia has intervened in a most energetic manner, and it is interesting to know that Germany has decided to act with Russia. The Austrian Embassy acted in the liveliest manner so as to influence Turkey. She should reestablish order in Crete and give many reforms.

This, of course, as the editor of the paper remarks, is highly important, as every one knows nowadays that Russia rules Turkey's foreign policy.

The editor of the Neue Freie Presse said that to him the Cretan question has left its acute form and fallen into the range of diplomacy. That question was a serious one, for if England had demanded reforms Russia would have to go with her against Turkey. Turkey's only plan was to give way.

At the office of the Fremdenblatt the foreign editor insisted, as did others, that it was unfair to say that England had stirred up the Cretan insurrection. It could not, according to him, be even retained as reasonable, for England had absolutely nothing to gain thereby. The Armenian question has been easily settled. The Cretan question is a trifle in comparison. Austria would uphold her colleagues. He said they were all as one. He looked upon the question as one purely of local growth. Matters are in a fearful condition in Crete, and large quantities of guns are being sent from Greece.

The Neue Freie Presse has received the following from its special correspondent at Athens:

"I met some newly arrived refugees at the Piraues this morning. They say that on Friday and Saturday fighting took place at Amigadolo, when 150 Turks were killed or wounded in Canea.

"In consequence excitement is again becoming great. A Turkish warship bombarded several coast villages and more Christian villages have been burned."

A POPULAR PLACE.

Blair Park Will Have First Class Attractions Next Sunday.

Blair Park has taken on new life this season. After the burning of the Piedmont Springs Hotel that section of the county dropped back a few pegs as a popular resort, but it has come to the front again this year with an unexpected rush and is now far ahead of what it ever was. This is due to the enterprise and excellent management of Ira D. Bishop and his able superintendent, Mr. Tiffany, both of whom have labored well and earnestly to build up the big business that road is now enjoying.

The Sunday attractions are now the talk of the town. Each week there has been a balloon ascension and stage performance and next Sunday this is to be eclipsed, for at an enormous expense a famous French female aeronaut will make a parachute jump and Gilbert and Goldie, two of the cleverest comedians on the coast, will be among the other entertainers.

The bear that is at the park as the starter of the menagerie it is proposed to place there will soon be in less cramped quarters. Plans have been prepared for a big pit for it and it will soon be able to deport itself as in his native lairs.

A School Social.

The graduating class of the B seventh grade of the Lafayette School arranged for a surprise to their teacher, Miss Josie Lemmon, at the class rooms, on Tuesday afternoon last. The class upon graduation will be transferred to either the Cole or Lincoln School, and to show the kindly feeling towards their teacher, with whom they had been associated for a year, determined upon this method of expressing it. A committee consisting of Florence A. Britton, Emma Covert, Emily Chickering, Selma Halliday and Selma Brink, arranged a luncheon, which was participated in by the entire class. Kind words of regret at parting from the schoool were expressed by the scholars and reciprocated by the teacher. It is pleasurable to note the happy relations existing between teacher and scholar in the Grammar Schools, as expressed by such efforts of scholars, and it is one of the keystones that hold them together, many teachers watching the progress of their pupils in after life as carefully and in many cases more carefully than parents do. The following were present: Milly Beeby, Florence Burpee, Viola Perkins, Anna Koonzie, Sadie Nelson, Mary Brice, Maud Lawlor, Ella Gladstone, Milly Holliday, Josephine Dewand, Blossom Wilcox, Ailco Barnett, Pearl Bedbury, Lillie Bowie, Stella Small, May Coles, May Renton, Emily Arlett, Gertie Campbell, Ada Coffee, Hazel Yenxa, Minnie Huber, Emma Gooch, Eva Higgins, Nellie Warren, Una Connell, Martin Fibush, Luther McLean, Harvey Lyon, Lewis Wolner, Alvin Powell, Mervyn Samuels, James Irwin, Charles Bruce, Clarence Haines, Roswell Beeby, Athol Coles.

Teachers to Meet.

There will be a meeting of the Alameda County Teaches' Benefit Association on Saturday next at 10 A. M. at the Oakland High School building.

DR. PARKHURST'S PLANS.

He Will Take No Part in the Presidential Campaign.

The Municipal Elections, Though, Will Find Him on Hand.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, June 10.—The Herald this morning says:

The Rev. Dr. Chas. H. Parkhurst and his wife will leave the city today on the steamship Germanic.

They will go to London and Paris, where they will stop for a short while, after which they will visit Vevey, Lake Geneva, where the doctor has a cottage and then go to th ehigher mountains of Switzerland.

In an interview he said he would take no interest in the coming Presidential campaign, but the time was ripe when steps should be taken to make preparation for the first municipal elections of the Greater New York in the campaign in 1897.

After reviewing the local situation, Dr. Parkhurst said in conclusion:

"It ought to be understood by us all at this early date that there is a terrific conflict in store for us between now and November 2, 1897. The ranks of decency and the Tammany hordes of indecency are going to be marshalled in deadly array.

"The autumn of 1897 will be hotter than that of 1894. The Presidential flurry so fills the air at first that plans of the municipal campaign will hardly be drawn prior to the end of next autumn. But there is among all classes of people anxious and determined anticipation of events that are to come that is already beginning to knit up in solidity in the lax fibers of men's thoughts and purposes.

"No city ever had a greater opportunity than is going to be ours at our next county election. Big as was the stride that was made two years ago there are yet larger opportunities open before us in the two years that are to come.

"There has been a tremendous gain since the election of Strong and Goff, which, if discreetly and honestly managed and availed of, may be made to conduce to a gain of far finer and grander proportion. Concertedness of righteous civic purpose during the next sixteen months may make 'bossism' a lost art in this city and make a Tammany a doleful and fatal memory."

Dr. Parkhurst said he would not preach while on his tour, nor would he attend any religious assemblies.

A BRAVE POLICEMAN.

Cool-Headedness and Nerve Saved Twenty Lives.

A Dangerous Climb and Then He Lifted Them Down.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BOSTON, June 10.—Wm. Graham, a big strapping policeman of the South End precinct, is the hero of the hour in Boston. He was walking along Washington street, off duty at the time, when a fire broke out in a big five-story block and his presence of mind and bravery saved the lives of twenty young women.

Plumbers at work on the third floor had carelessly left a lighted candle close to the woodwork and the fire thus started spread with great rapidity and there were nearly forty men and women employed in Woods' printing office and their escape by way of the stairs was entirely cut off by the flames.

They crowded around the windows on the Washington street end of the building.

Their only chance to escape appeared to be to jump to the ground, sixty feet below, the firemen not having reached the scene.

Then it was that Patrolman Graham rushed into the adjoining building and going to the third floor, climbed out upon the broad stone sill of the window nearest the burning building.

That brought him to within a few feet of the windows filled with frantic women. He told them to creep along the sill and he would rescue them.

It required a large amount of courage to hang over the street with the only chance of a footing of about three inches of wet stone trimming, but they ventured one at a time and the strong arms of Patrolman Graham soon were upon them and he lifted them down into a place of safety.

In this manner nearly twenty made their escape before the firemen arrived and the crowd sent up a cheer.

"Wonderful World," Friday night, Y. M. C. A.

WIND AND RAIN.

The Elements Play Havoc at Newark, New Jersey.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, June 10—Bulletin—A violent wind and rain storm visited Newark, N. J., last night and did damage amounting to fully $15,000.

At 8 P. M. the wind and rain swept everything before them and traffic was at a standstill for half an hour. Shanties were wrecked and many farm buildings damaged.

Water covered 200 acres and it was impossible to approach the settlements on the meadows. Lightning made havoc with factories, but only one fire was reported.

Lightning struck the roof of the big Harrison leather factory in New York avenue and a stock of finished and unfinished leather was burned. Several naptha tanks exploded and it was expected that the entire factory would be swept away.

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An article of great merit and virtue.—*Cons. Newspaper.*

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ECKELS ON FINANCES.

The Controller of Currency on the Silver Issue.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, June 10.—James H. Eckels, Controller of the Currency, arrived in the city yesterday. Mr. Eckels denied that he was here on any political mission.

"It looks now as if the free silver faction will control the convention. As to whether it will gain the election, well, that is a different matter. The epidemic has been so strengthened by the action of the State Conventions of Kentucky, Indiana and Ohio that it is useless to deny that the free silver people have the controlling power of the party. Still, several weeks must elapse before the convention; political history is made in a short time in this country, and there's many a slip."

When asked his opinion as to the prospects of a bolt in the convention, the Controller said:

"I don't hear so much talk about a split up among the sound money men as reports would seem to indicate. It seems that all such talk emanates from the camp of the opposing factions—the silver men—rather than from the faction which is expected to bolt."

ONLY ONE CONTEST.

The Democratic National Body Is Starting Out Well.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 10.—Secretary Sherrin of the Democratic National Committee said last night there was only one contest as yet before the committee.

This is the Nebraska delegation. Notice of a contest in Colorado has also been received.

Mr. Sherrin says the Secretary's duties in making the roll of delegates is only ministerial, the committee deciding as to who has a prima facie case.

Concerning the temporary Chairman of the convention, he said the names of ex-Governor Francis of Missouri, Senator Hill of New York and Hugh C. Wallace of Tacoma, Wash., had been suggested, though the committee had done nothing as yet. He says free silver will control the convention and will select the permanent Chairman.

YALE'S CLASS BOOK.

Seventy-Seven Members Will Practice in the Courts.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 10. — The most elaborate Yale class book ever published at the University has just been issued.

It says that New York retains the honor of sending more men to the class than any other State, her representatives being 77; Connecticut second with 65.

Over 100 preparatory schools are represented in the class, Andover leading with 85. Whist is voted the favorite class drink.

Seventy-seven members will study law, and twelve men have made up their minds to be President of the United States. Five will enter the ministry, fourteen will teach, and about eighty-nine will go into business.

No Go Here.

No organization of a branch of Ballington Booth's Volunteers of America, the seceding wing of the Salvation Army, was affected at the meeting held last evening at Asbury M. E. Church. It was thought that Ballington Booth had a large number of sympathizers here, but when E. C. Veeder, an officer in the Volunteers, endeavored to obtain signatures to the roll, there was no response in the audience.

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7:33 a	Atlantic express, Ogden and East	8:04 p
7:33 a	Benecia, Vacaville, Rumsey, Sacramento and Redding via Davis	6:14 p
7:33 a	Martinez, San Ramon, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa	5:45 p
9:27 a	Los Angeles Express, Raymond (for Yosemite), Santa Barbara and Los Angeles	4:09 p
9:37 a	Martinez and Stockton	10:14 a
2:01 p*	Port Costa and way stations	*7:14 p
4:34 p	Martinez, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano and Santa Rosa	8:45 a
4:28 p	Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	10:14 a
5:27 p	New Orleans Express, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East	9:40 a
5:37 p	Santa Fe Route, Atlantic Express for Mojave and East	9:40 a
6:36 p	European Mail, Ogden and East	9:13 a
7:36 p†	To Vallejo	*7:14 p
7:38 p	Oregon Express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	10:14 a

NILES ROUTE.
First Street Near Broadway.

Leave	From February 2, 1896.	Arrive
8:10 a	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Red Bluff and Oroville	8:37 p
8:10 a*	Peters and Milton	6:39 p
1:40 p	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	8:07 a
5:10 p	Niles, San Jose, Livermore and Stockton	6:29 p
6:40 p	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7:07 a

SAN LEANDRO AND HAYWARD.
Via Seventh Street from Broadway.

Leave	From March 22, 1896.	Arrive
6:36 a0	To Melrose, Seminary Park, Fitchburg, San Leandro and Haywards.	6:38 a
7:36 p		8:08 p
8:36 p		9:08 p
9:36 p		10:08 p
11:51 p*		*11:18 p

Via First Street, from Broadway.

8:36 a	To Melrose, Seminary Park, Fitchburg, San Leandro and Haywards.	0 9:09 a
9:36 a		10:11 a
10:36 a		11:11 a
11:36 a0		12:11 p
2:36 p		0 1:11 p
3:36 p		4:11 p
4:36 p		5:09 p
5:41 p		6:40 p
6:05 p		7:15 p

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Leave	From March 22, 1896.	Arrive
8:15 a	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and way stations; **also Gilroy, Tres Pinos, Watsonville, Pacific Grove, San Luis Obispo, Guadalupe and way stations	5:44 p
3:15 p*	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Felton; Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations	*11:14 a
4:15 p	Newark, San Jose and Los Gatos	9:44 a
7:45 p†	Santa Cruz, etc.—For San Jose, Santa Cruz and way stations	†7:59 a

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General Notes of Happenings in the University Town.

BERKELEY, June 10.—The students of the High School gave a very creditable performance last evening in Shattuck Hall of Mrs. Burton Harrison's farce, "Two Strings to Her Bow." The play was an innovation in the usual programme of Class Day exercises. The stage was charmingly decorated in lilac and white. Previous to the rising of the curtain a short literary and musical programme was given.

The play was under the charge of Instructor Maybeck. The cast of characters was as follows: "Monsieur Dumesnil," A. T. Hughes; "Madame Dumesnil," May M. Howell; "Cecile," Stella M. West; "Monsieur Coudray," R. S. Haseltine; "Alphonse de Lucenal," Mark H. White; "Baptiste," Carlton H. Parker; country girls, Alice P. Steedman, Daisy M. Clark, Lulu T. Frane, Fannie E. Tyrrell, Grace A. Tyrrell, Vivia M. Gage, Alice Stewart, Ella Roberts, Jennie Ellison, Lucy W. Dewing, Charlotte A. Henley.

The graduating exercises will be held Thursday evening in Shattuck Hall.

Just before the curtain rose an electric light globe exploded behind the stage and severely injured Miss Elsie Thompson, who was standing near. Miss Thompson's face and hands were badly cut.

DR. NORRIS' FUNERAL.

The funeral of Dr. H. F. Norris, the Baptist missionary, took place yesterday from the family residence on Vine street. Rev. Tong Kit Hing, pastor of the Chinese Baptist Church in San Francisco, who was a friend of Dr. Norris, conducted the services, assisted by Rev. Dr. W. T. Jordan of Alameda and Rev. Robert Whittaker of East Oakland. The remains were interred in Mountain View Cemetery.

THE DEATH RATE.

A curious mistake was made yesterday in the report of Berkeley's death rate. It was printed as 10½ per 100 and should have been 10½ per 1000.

CRESCENT CLUB ENTERTAINMENT.

The Crescent Athletic Club will give an entertainment the latter part of this month. In addition to the regular musical and literary programme a farce will be presented.

BATH HOUSES TO BE BUILT.

Bath houses will probably be erected very soon on the West Berkeley beach near the organ factory. The beach is sandy, and the water is generally clear and warm. The brush and weeds have been cleared away, and work on the buildings began today.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

Marshal Lloyd arrested John Siegel yesterday for cruelty to animals.

Miss Annie McCleave entertained the Seniors of the High School at a dancing party in Shattuck Hall Monday evening.

Chester B. Funald, a well known writer for the Century Magazine, is stopping in Berkeley prior to his departure for Alaska.

The Oriole Athletic Club has decided to disband its baseball club. The junior members of the club will give a field day Saturday.

WEST OAKLAND NEWS.

Great Interest Being Taken in the Baseball Boom.

Burglars Pay McCarthy a Visit and Take Some Souvenirs.

WEST OAKLAND, June 10.—Work on the new Baseball grounds at Nineteenth and Peralta streets has been commenced. The work is being pushed with vigor and the men will be kept at work continuously as the management is anxious to have the grounds in readiness for Next Sunday's game between the Saturday Press Nine of West Oakland and the Pacifics of San Francisco. In the morning the Acme and Reliance teams may play if a match can be arranged between them.

William Walsh, the enterprising merchant, and also a great enthusiast of the National game, is superintending the work on the grounds.

BROWN'S BENEFIT.

The friends of H. Brown, an employe of the Door Factory on Wood street, turned out in force Saturday night to assist in making his benefit a success. The affair took place in Hansen's Hall. The evening's programme consisted of a musical and literary entertainment which was followed by dancing. Two boxing bouts were held one of which was between James Coyne of the Acme Club and Moulton of the Oakland Club. Both were very tame, neither boxer striking very hard. Chief Lloyd with Sergeant Hodgkins and Officers Hahnmerton and Cortage were on hand to see that the boxers kept within the restrictions of the law but their presence was not necessary, as neither pugilist exhibited any intention of trying to finish his opponent. Brown gave a song and dance and Professor Swasey played a banjo solo which was greatly appreciated. The benefit is said to have netted Brown $52. The affair was in every way a success and every one was pleased.

BURGLARY AT M'CARTHY'S.

Early yesterday morning burglars forced an entrance into Daniel F. McCarthy's saloon at Fourteenth and Kirkham street and after ramsacking nearly everything in the place they only secured some crackers and cheese which was used for free lunch and a couple of bottles of beer. Fortunately Mr. McCarthy left no money in the till because the combination was broken which was evidence that the marauders had searched it. The matter has been reported to the police.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

TUESDAY, June 9, 1896.

Maud A. and Alonzo N. Clark to Rosa A. Stone, wf Horace M., NW-15th st 170 W Peralta st W 25 x N 112, blk 727, map of tract 382 of Whitcher's map of Oakland, $700.

C. E. and Mary F. Stevens et al., by commissioner, to Citizens' Building and Loan Association, S Seward st 160 E Cedar st E 30 x S 135, being lot 13, blk 703, map of Gibbons property, $1420.

Alonzo L. Todd to S. A. Green, com at N cor lot 2, blk A, lands Okd View Hd Assn, th SE 125 SW 30 to center said lot 2, th NW to SE Walsworth st to a pt 25-6 SW from pt of beg, th NE 25-6 to beg, except that ptn conveyed to city of Oakland for opening Walsworth av, being ptn lot 2, blk A, lands of Okd View Hd Assn, $10.

J. N. Williams to Mary E. Jones, com at a stake on W side Claremount av 112.92 from the intersection of Claremount av and Norris st, th S 107.10 W 102 N 101.18 102.92 SE 50.92, th at right angles with Claremount av 50.92 to beg, also a narrow strip 5 feet wide from E ½ lot 10, being lot 11 and ptn lot 10, blk F, Claremount av tract, $2000.

James and Mary Attridge to Mary Gardiner, W Broadway 50 S from SE cor lot 11, map of sub of ½ acre lots Hays & Caperton tct, S50x W 140.2, being ptn lot 45, map of sub ½ acre lots in Hays & Caperton tract, $10.

R. and Margaret Kuerzel to John Johnson, lot 1, blk 751, Levy and Lane tract, $10.

Manuel C. Afonco to Belina C. Afonco, lots 10, 11, 16 to 19, blk J, amended map Moss tract; lot 50, map of Smith's sub San Leandro, $10.

J. E. and Annie E. White et al., by commissioner, to Encinal Building and Loan Association, S Prescott st 85 E Prospect av 16 25.84 S 108.42 W 25 N 116.64 to beg, being lot 7, blk E, Daly tract, $2052.

James E. and Matilda A. Daly et al., by commissioner, to same, NE Prospect av and E-16th st N 40 x E 110, being lot 1, blk C, same, $2500.

F. A. and Lottie Webster to George M. B. Gray, SE 40th av 600 NE E-24th st NE 100 x SE 120.50, being lots 7 and 8, Gray's Bonnie View tract, $10.

Robert H. and Belle Gans to Lizzie M. Holmes, lots 33 and 34, blk R, resub ptn Roberts & Wolfskill tract, $10.

H. M. H. and Johanne M. Knarsberg to Citizens' Building and Loan Association, SE 1st av 75 NE Summer st NE 37-6 x SE 100, ptn Locksley Square tract, $10.

G. L. G. and Louise C. A. Moller to Frederick Senram, N Fairview st 214.45 E Telegraph av E 46.39 x N 88.17, being lot 18, Moller tract, $10.

H. F. and Mary E. Laumeister et al., by commissioner, to Mary A. Ryan, N Wallace av or 45th st 713.24 E San Pablo av E 40 x N 151.57, being the W 40 ft lot 30, Coggeshall tract E of San Pablo av, $1422.

Margaret Ryan to Stephen Keyes, S 37th st 115 W Market W 50 x S 100, being lot 14, blk B, Evoy property, $10.

Philip Teare to Annie Teare, lots 29 and 30, blk 6, Antisell tract, gift.

Union Savings Bank to Mary Simpson, lot 4, map of the Twitchell tract, $10.

Matilda A. Daly, wf James E., to Bridget Dooley, lots 17 and 18, map of Santa Fe tract, $10.

H. C. Norris to Charlotte Gray, NE Mountain View av and Sunnyside st E 110 x N 150, lots 103 and 104, blk 34, Warner tract, $10.

Tatlow Jackson to Emily R. Jackson, 4.35 acres beg at a fence post near the NW cor Samuel Silva's barn, th NE 5.70 chs NE 4.16 chs SE 5.18 chs SW 10.60 chs NW 2.90 chs NW 75 links to beg, gift.

S. A. and Effie J. Newell to County of Alameda, beg at a pt on line div lands of Laughlin and lands of Newell S 16.22 chs from ¼ sec corner standing on line div Secs 13 and 14, Tp 2 S, R 4 E, th NE 5.40 chs N 2.04 chs NW 7.56 chs NE 2.70 chs NE 2.43 chs NE .90 ch th .93 ch to beg, for road purposes, grant.

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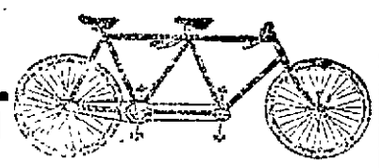

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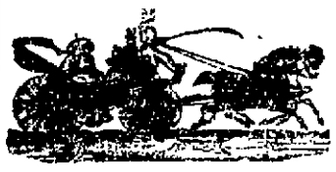

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SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County at the board rooms in the annex to the Hall of Records in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock M., on Monday, June 22, 1896, (at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of the bidders) for furnishing and delivering at such times and in such places and in such quantities as may be required, supplies for the Alameda County Infirmary, the various departments of the County Government, Hall of Records, at the County Jail and Receiving Hospital of the County of Alameda, consisting of fish, drugs and chemicals, stationery, etc., wood and coal, groceries, provisions, etc., drygoods, clothing, etc., meats, etc., fruit, and vegetables, from date of contract to June 30th, 1897 inclusive, as per specifications and provisions of schedules to be furnished by the Clerk of this Board, adopted by this Board this day, and according to the conditions and requirements in such schedules contained. The County of Alameda, through the Board of Supervisors, reserves the right to use in the several departments of the County Government greater or less quantities than enumerated in the proposals and schedules should the public interests so require, bids to be awarded to the person whose bid is the lowest in the aggregate on each schedule.

The Board of Supervisors also in considering said bids reserves the right to accept or reject all or any of them or accept a part of any bid or proposal presented. Samples of all staple articles are to be presented for examination by the Board of Supervisors at the board room, the same to be properly marked with name of bidder and schedule number.

All supplies and materials furnished to be subject to the approval of the department ordering the same and to the satisfaction of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County. No bid will be considered unless made upon said schedules nor unless accompanied by certified check payable to the order of Frank C. Jordan, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, certified to by some responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than 10 per cent of the aggregate amount of the proposal or proposals which it accompanies.

Said check to be forfeited to the County of Alameda, as agreed and liquidated damages, should the party or parties to whom the contract shall be awarded fail to enter into the contract within ten (10) days after the award or fail to give a bond required by the Board for the faithful performance of the contract. Payment for all supplies will be made in the manner prescribed by the Legislature of the State of California. All bids must be enclosed in sealed envelopes, addressed to the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, and be endorsed on the envelopes furnished by the Clerk, "Proposals for furnishing supplies for the County of Alameda, required by the various departments of the County Government," giving the general name and number as on the schedules or as otherwise provided in schedules.

Dated, June 8, 1896.

HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman Board of Supervisors Alameda County, California.
(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

Assessor's Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax Notice.

Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Oakland, Mar. 2nd, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax for two dollars each for the year 1896 is now due and payable at my office, Room One, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3829 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

Then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his Deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

The same laws apply to the collection of Road Poll Tax as to the collection of State Poll Tax.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

ASSESSOR'S

Notice to Taxpayers!

Oakland, Mar. 2nd, 1896.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 16th, 1896, a statement under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1896,

in accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629 Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars, and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 16th, 1896, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1896.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

The undersigned offers at private sale the entire stock of drugs, chemicals, fixtures, etc., formerly used in the business conducted by C. A. Seifert at No. 932 Seventh street, Oakland, California.

Said property is open for inspection on the premises at Oakland, where the inventory of said property can be seen.

Sealed bids for said property as a whole are solicited, to be addressed and delivered to the undersigned care of H. L. Smith, Secretary of the Board of Trade of San Francisco, No. 202 Market street, San Francisco, on or before the 19th day of June, 1896, at 12 M.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for 10 per cent of the amount bid.

Right reserved to reject any and all bids.

Terms, cash in United States gold coin.

Sale subject to confirmation of Court.

If adequate bids are not received by said assignee at private sale, he will on the 22nd day of June, 1896, at 11 A. M., on the premises in Oakland, sell said property at public auction to the highest and best bidder.

Dated June 8th, 1896.

L. GUGGENHIME,
Assignee of C. A. Seifert, an Insolvent Debtor.

LEGAL.

NOTICE TO VOTERS!

REGISTRATION.

Office of the County Clerk,
Alameda Co., State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, State of California, held on the 13th day of January, 1896, it was ordered that the Clerk of said County make a new and

COMPLETE REGISTRATION

Of the voters of said County, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1094 of the Political Code of the State of California, that said registration commence on the 17th day of February, 1896, and continue until 85 days before the next General Election, to-wit, to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Now, therefore, this is to give notice, that in pursuance of said order, said new registration will commence on the 17th day of February, 1896, and continue to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavits for registration may be sworn to before any Deputy County Clerk in the different towns and precincts of the County, or any Deputy County Assessor, without charge. Affidavits can also be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public. All naturalized citizens who have not been registered before must present papers when applying for registration.

The office of the County Clerk, at the Hall of Records, Oakland, Cal., will be open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. and from 7:30 p. m. to 9 p. m. for the accommodation of voters. All citizens are notified to apply for registration at once.

Notice is given that after the filing of affidavits and when names are entered on the Great Register, postal cards will be sent to each citizen of the date of such entry. If postal is not received, voters should ascertain at once for his own protection the reason why.

Feb. 17th, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN,
County Clerk.
(Seal.)

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

PACIFIC COAST SAVINGS SOCIETY (a corporation), Plaintiff, vs. HARRIET A. BOYYER ET AL., Defendants. No. 11,608.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda of the State of California, on the 6th day of June, A. D. 1896, in the above entitled action, wherein Pacific Coast Savings Society, a corporation, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Harriet A. Boyyer, alias Hattie Boyyer, and Harriet A. Boyyer, executrix of the last will and testament of E. A. Boyyer, deceased, defendants, on the 27th day of May, A. D. 1896, for the sum of twelve hundred and twelve and 96-100 dollars, in United States gold coin, besides interest and costs, which said decree was, on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1896, recorded in Judgment Book 20 of said Court, at page 532, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the northern line of Thirtieth street distant thereon 465 feet easterly from the eastern line of Market street and running thence easterly and along the said line of Thirtieth street 50 feet, thence northerly parallel with Market street 140 feet, thence westerly parallel with Thirtieth street 50 feet, and thence southerly parallel with Market street 140 feet to the place of beginning, being lot No. 33 in block No. 2032, as the same is delineated and so designated on the plat entitled "Map of the Rowland Tract, Oakland," etc., filed on February 16th, 1878, in the County Recorder's office of said Alameda County.

Public notice is hereby given that on

THURSDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF JULY, A. D. 1896,

At ten o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, June 8, 1896.

W. S. HARLOW,
A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
VINCENT NEALE, Attorney for Plaintiff, Chronicle Building, San Francisco.

NOTICE OF

ELECTION OF TRUSTEES

Reclamation District No. 82.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County and State of California, made on the 18th day of May, 1896, an election will be held on the 20th day of June, 1896, for the purpose of electing three Trustees for Reclamation District No. 82, in the County of Alameda and State of California. The polls for the holding of such election are hereby located at Riverside Hotel, in Alvarado, County of Alameda, State of California, and the polls shall be kept open from the hours of ten A. M. until four P. M. of said day.

For the purpose of conducting said election, J. L. Beard has been appointed Inspector and Phil Rohrbacher and B. F. Barton have been appointed Judges of said election, each of the above named persons appearing by the records of the County of Alameda to be landholders in said Reclamation District.

Dated this 15th day of May, 1896.

(Seal) HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman Board of Supervisors of Alameda County and State of California.
Attest: Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.
Department No. 2.
In the matter of Walter A. Muller, an insolvent debtor.

Walter A. Muller, an insolvent debtor, having applied to this Court for a discharge from his debts and liabilities,

It is hereby ordered, that the Clerk of this Court give notice to all creditors who have proved their debts, to appear before this Court, at the Court-room thereof, on the 7th day of July, 1896, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., and show cause, if any they have, why the said Walter A. Muller should not be discharged from his debts, in accordance with the statutes in such cases made and provided, and from all liabilities.

It is further ordered, that notice of said application be given to the creditors by publication of a copy of this order for four weeks in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper published in said county, and by mailing copies thereof to the creditors who have proved their debts. The order of notice to creditors heretofore made and filed this day on petition for final discharge is hereby revoked and set aside.

Dated June 4th, 1896.

W. E. GREENE,
Judge of the Superior Court.
Endorsed: Filed June 4, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, County Clerk.
By G. C. WOODSUM, Deputy Clerk.

SPORTING NEWS

The National Game Suddenly Takes a Big Spurt.

LEAGUES BEING ORGANIZED.

Oakland Will Have a Good Chance for the Pennant.

NEWS OF THE LOCAL CLUBS.

Yachting, Cycling, Shooting and Other Outdoor Attractions.

The Wallace Cup Race of the California Yacht Club will take place on Sunday the 21st.

Oakland will have a professional baseball nine at last. J. Leonard will be the captain.

Arrangements are finally completed for new ball grounds for the Oakland players.

The Reliance shooters are making excellent scores.

THE UMPIRE.

The old saying "either a feast or a famine" is particularly applicable just at present in baseball circles in California. But a short month ago baseball was dead. Now, however, there are two full fledged leagues in the field, and each of them has much good talent. The combination of clubs which plays weekly on the Presidio diamond has opened its season in good shape, while the California League, if established a little later, starts out none the less auspiciously.

In this latter league Oakland is most interested, for a club will represent this city's honors. Other nines will come from San Jose, Sacramento, Stockton and San Francisco. All the games will take place on the new grounds in San Francisco, located Sixteenth and Folsom streets, though if Oakland had a suitable place it might have been favored also.

The Oakland nine is under the captaincy of J. W. Leonard, who as well plays first base. Leonard is one of the best ball players on the coast, and is eminently fitted for the responsible position he holds. As first base for the Los Angeles Club during the league games of '94, he added honors to his long record of successes, and with other teams he was looked upon as a star. Personally, Leonard is a "good fellow" and has the happy faculty of not only gaining the confidence of his men, but of retaining it. Under his leadership the Oakland Club should come well to the front, if, indeed, it does not take first place.

Saturday Captain Leonard was in Oakland looking over the field and getting posted as to the whereabouts of the best material for the make-up of his nine here. He intends as far as possible to select his players from the talent on this side of the bay, and with that end in view will give Oakland the preference in every way. Already he has his eye on some of the crack men, and before many days have passed it is pretty certain some contracts will be signed. Oakland's "mascot" came along with him. This time it is a clever little cocker spaniel pup. During all the games the dog will be in evidence, and it is bound to be the pet of the club, as it is of its owner.

In speaking of the new league and the baseball situation generally, Mr. Leonard said:

"There is no reason why the Oakland nine should not be the prize winner. I have heard some excellent reports of the Oakland ball players, and if it lies within my power the boys arrayed under Oakland colors will carry the day. Already a few of us have been at work this year. Under the name of the Oakland League we beat the Santa Cruz Club on its diamond by a score of 17 to 3, while the San Franciscos we shut out to the tune of 4 to 0. This is a pretty good showing, and then our team was decidedly incomplete. Now all we need is to have the Oakland people wake up just a little and help us along—just give us some encouragement and we will do the rest. If victory does not perch on Oakland's banner, it will not be because we did not do our best."

The San Francisco diamond, when completed, will be a model one in every respect. Already it is one of the best in the State, but the management wants to have the finest, so much extra work is being done.

The Umpire received the following letter from Captain Leonard, which is self explanatory:

"I now send you some of the names of the Oakland Baseball Club: J. W. Leonard, captain, first base; W. Scott, catcher, and Davis; T. Kelly, pitcher; Walton, second base; C. Tilson, third base; M. H. Zann, left field.

"The other three players have not been decided on, and I hope to get them from Oakland city. Mr. Blake, our general manager and secretary, will be in your city looking for players.

"Roberts, Donovan and Agnew we have our eye on. I would consider it a great favor if you know of any good players to send them over to me, and I will give them a chance to show up.

"We had a practice game Sunday afternoon, the score standing 4 to 3, for a starter not bad. The grounds are now beginning to look like baseball was on the boom, and it surely is. As the four hundred people who ran in to see the grounds and inspect the players seemed highly pleased with everything, although the grounds are really not half done.

"I feel sure I have the pennant winners. I want the captain and Oakland people to be proud of us.

"J. W. LEONARD,
"Captain and Manager."

The sudden boom in baseball means much to the national game on the coast. The new league which started the season last Sunday across the bay should receive the proper support due any enterprise that tends to benefit a city.

That we will have baseball again here in 1897 there can be no doubt. The fans are eager for it, and as soon as they see that it is put on a solid basis will turn out as in days of yore. The only way baseball will pay is to have a regular organized league under the national agreement, with salaried players and all the necessary accessories. Oakland will certainly be in the '97 league and J. T. Moran will handle the reins. Tim O'Neill is home again and is closely affiliated with Mr. Moran in the proposed new deal.

Uncle Henry Harris is in San Francisco along with Duke Michael Finn, who twice landed the championship for San Jose. Get these two into the game again, with others of the old guard, and I predict a successful revival of baseball in 1897.

There is yet another whose name takes prominence when a renewal of the game is spoken of—he who was instrumental in giving us the winning team in 1889, the boss boomer of them all—Colonel Truly Progressive Robinson, now chief adviser to his honor Mayor Sutro in conducting a bathing resort and several other attractions in San Francisco. If the tall magnate with a strong habit of talking through his top-piece could be induced to once more enter the arena, baseball would take a sudden move forward. Let the Colonel get into the game, by all means.

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The champion Oakland team of 1889 will long be remembered by lovers of the game. Handsome Charley Dooley played first base. He is now with Scranton, Pa. "Scotchy" Jim McDonald, who covered second, is umpiring in the Western League. Tip O'Neill, shortstop and captain, is here, having just returned from Victoria. Vincent Dailey, left field, is in the East. Danny Long, center fielder, and Lou Hardie, right fielder and change catcher, are residents of this city. George Stallings is playing with Detroit. Of the pitchers, Coughlin is twirling the sphere for Springfield, and William Wheele is on a ranch in Mendocino County. Only one of the team has passed away—William Smalley, the Haywards boy. He was destined to become the greatest third baseman of the country, but Providence saw fit to close his career before he was half way around the diamond.

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The local baseball clubs are to have ball grounds of their own. That is to say, there is to be a new diamond laid out on this side of the bay, so that hereafter the Oakland teams—the Acmes, Saturday Press, Reliance and others less prominent—may play ball without having to go outside of the city and without having to pay for the privilege. Also, the Oakland teams may in future invite outside teams to their own town.

These new grounds are already laid out, and are now being coated, rolled and put in condition. They will be fit to play on by the end of this week. Improvements will thereafter be added gradually until everything is in first class order. Co-operation among the different clubs and general interest taken in the enterprise by the Oakland players will materially advance the usefulness and the value of the new undertaking.

The grounds are located between Peralta and Adeline streets and between Nineteenth and Twenty-first streets, and are most accessible from the Peralta side. The Sixteenth street cars pass within two blocks of this side. The work now going on is under the direction of the Saturday Press Club, which will exercise general supervision over the grounds. Applications for dates on which other clubs may use them should be addressed to the Saturday Press Club.

It is expected that the diamond will be enlivened and christened by two games next Sunday. The Acme-Reliance game may be played there, and the Saturday Press Club has in view a game with the Pacifics of the San Francisco Professional League. Preparations are being made for a balloon ascension in the afternoon by Professor George.

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Otto Zeigler Jr., the crack California racer, and his trainer, R. P. Aylward, will join the National Racing Circuit at Galveston. Zeigler has not been in the best of health, but is fast rounding into shape and condition and will make a splendid showing on the circuit. He is in excellent hands there being no better trainer in the business than Aylward, and he understands Zeigler perfectly.

THE UMPIRE.

RELIANCE SHOOTERS.

Good Scores Made Sunday at the Alameda Traps.

The first shoot of the Reliance Gun Club on the new trap grounds was held in Alameda Sunday. The prizes offered brought out a large number of entries, and members of the Lincoln, Olympic, Los Angeles, Alameda Sportsmen's and the Empire Clubs were in attendance. The scores were as follows:

First event, pool, 10 birds, free for all. Entrance divided, 50, 30 and 20 per cent. Scores: Cadman 6, Orr 5, Tubbs 7, W. Gross 7, G. Gross 6, Kellogg 5, Young 5, Yardley 6, Robertson 9, Justins 8, Roberts 4, F. Vernon 7, Leeds 8, King 6, Billington 8, Friedner 8, Johnson 7, Trombone 8, Ed. Olson 6, Reed 4, Fairchild 1, Sears 8, Baker 8, Newton 6, Layton 10, Ralph 7, Brier 8, Ross 8, Andrus 8, Burrows 5, Murdock 7, Kleversahl 7, Eugene Foster 7, Ed Foster 5, Bartlett 3, Burns 9, Karney 8, A. F. Adams 2, Overman 5, Vandell 6, Lovell 2, Huntley 3, Burgens 6, Clabrough 3, Barney 6, Fishers 7, Stewart 8, Lehrke 6, H. C. Golcher 8, S. Golman 9, Namman 5, Allen 5, Bachelder 2, H. Wagner 5, Webb 9, Wetmore 1, Baxter 3, Deacon 2, Quinn 0, Dr. Wilson 1, Roberts 3, Arlett 1, Klein 2, Griffiths 2, Elford 2, Potter 3, Winning 9, Brady 5, M. Little 7, Len Owen 7, W. J. Golcher 8, Alderson 5, Weber 1, S. Merquire 5, F. G. Williams 6, Umphreet 4, King 3, H. H. White 6, Whitney 8, Hyns 7, Nauman 8, Robins 3, Young 3.

Second event, first Reliance free for all match; 15 birds, open to all comers, on the first Sundays in June, July and August. Final competition to take place in September. Entrance, 75 cents. Scores: Cashman 14, Webb 14, Tubbs 10, W. Gross 11, G. Gross 9, Kellogg 7, Young 11, Yardley 8, Robertson 13, Justins 8, F. Vernon 12, Leeds 11, King 11, Fuedner 13, Trombone 12, Olson 9, Reed 3, Fairchild 3, Sears 12, Williams 4, Baker 7, Newton 8, Layton 11, Ralph 11, H. Wagner 5, C. Wagner 12; Umphred 7, Griffiths 1, Len Owen 13, W. J. Golcher 10, Hanford 7, F. G. Williams 6, H. H. White 10, Whitney 10, Winning 10, Keating 6, Beckeart 9, King 7, Barney 10, Robbins 8, Vandell 4, Merquire 9, Billington, 10, Ross 7, Andrus 10, Burrows 11, A. F. Adams 10, Overman 3, Murdock 9, Kleversahl 13, Eugene Foster 12, Ed Foster 12, Burns 13, Karney 10, Bartlett 14, Lovell 7, Huntley 9, Burgans 13, Claybrough 8, Barney 11, Fisher 14, Stewart 12, Lehrke 9, Golcher 11, Nauman 12, Allen 10.

Third event, merchandise match, 25 birds, entrance $1. Scores: Cadman 18, Webb 21, Lovell 10, W. Gross 13, G. Gross 17, Kellogg 12, Young 20, Yardley 11, Robertson 18, Justins 15, Whitney 24, F. Vernon 15, Leeds 19, King 17, Feuder 23, Trombone 22, Olson 17, Reed 11, Fairchild 2, Sears 18, Williams 5, Baker 12, Newton 21, Ross 17, Andrus 13, Burrows 12, Overman 8, A. F. Adams 17, Bartlett 20, H. Wagner 12, Murdock 14, Kleversahl 20, Eugene Foster 18, Ed. Foster 24, Bruns 20, Karney 20, Vandell 13, Burgous 16, Claybrough 13, Barney 18, Fisher 19, Stewart 14, Lehrke 18, Golcher 19, Nauman 16, C. Wagner 13, Duckman 11, Fisher 10, Len Owen 15, W. J. Golcher 18, Alderton 17, Bekeart 17, H. H. White 19, Daniels 18, Potter 16, Dude 19, Winning 10, Tubbs 13, Ralph 19, Layton 20.

The California Gun Tournament Association will hold its opening shoot on its new grounds at Alameda Point, July 4th and 5th. All clubs and others interested in trap shooting are cordially invited to attend.

ALAMEDA'S VICTORY.

Clever Work Is Done on the Cricket Field.

The Californias and Alamedas went up against each other Sunday to decide their supremacy in cricket.

The game took place in Alameda and the home team went to the wicket first.

Hood and Randall made 32 and 71 respectively the side reaching 192 runs by 3:15 o'clock.

The California's led off with Hearfield and Gellathy and the pair rolled up 92 in short order.

Griffin and Ward Jr. put up some excellent trundling and 150 runs were registered.

The Alamedas secured the draw and the scores resulted as follows:

ALAMEDAS.

R. B. Hogue c. Brooks b. Thomas	15
C. Gardner b. Parmer	13
E. Hood c. Gellantly b. Gild	32
E. T. Randall c. Townsley b. Banner	71
H. Ward Jr. b. Guild	2
H. Cronin c. Brooks b. Banner	7
J. J. Peel c. Van Nuden b. Townsley	0
C. Bragg c Brooks b. Townsley	12
G. Lamb b. Banner	9
G. Ireland not out	0
G. Griffin run out	2
Extras	0
	10
Totals	192

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	Balls.	Runs.	Maidens.	Wickets.
Guild	137	69	3	2
Banner	106	42	6	4
Sellom	24	15	0	0
Sullum	24	19	0	0
Gellantly	21	21	0	0
Townsley	12	4	1	2

CALIFORNIAS.

D. Hearfield not out	92
P. D. Gellantly c. Cronin b. Bragg	9
W. Guild b. Griffin	11
J. B. Brooks b. Griffin	0
O. J. Thomas b. Griffin	1
C. Townsley c. and b. Ward Jr.	0
R. B. Jones b. Griffin	10
G. Sellom b. Peel	8
C. Banner b. Peel	0
L. Schweder b. Ward Jr.	4
G. Van Norden not out	0
Extras	12
Total for nine wickets	150

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	Balls.	Runs.	Maidens.	Wickets.
Ward Jr.	110	48	1	2
Peel	72	33	0	2
C. Bragg	18	20	0	1
Griffin	62	23	2	4
Hogue	31	11	1	0

BOYDEN TO THE FRONT.

The Oakland Boy Does Well as a Professional.

In speaking of the work of the Oakland boys in the San Francisco bicycle races, a correspondent has the following to say:

As for Boyden he never could win as an amateur. Time and again he started and as often was noted among those who "also ran." Then someone advised him to turn professional, assuring him that on his poor showing as an amateur he would be given a good handicap, and if he won he would get bright, shining "twenties" for his reward instead of a medal, cheap jewelry or undesirable merchandise. The man who told him all this was a prophet, surely, for Boyden, the first time he started as a professional, which was last Saturday, was given 150 yards handicap in the mile. He had to ride unpaced all the way, but he did it, winning his first heat and then the final, amid the delighted yells of his much surprised clubmates. And now he jingles those gold pieces against one another as he strolls into the club house of an evening, and the members look upon their only professional almost with idolatry. It is rumored that Charley Bates will be the next to "flop over." There will be a good many men joining the professional ranks before long. The success of Drew and Boyden will encourage them to do so. Several ought to be there now. Take Griffiths, Tom Hall, Tantau or Yeoman, for instance, they are far too speedy for the average amateur. The term does not fit them.

A SPANIEL CLUB.

Dog Fanciers Organize for the Protection of Pets.

The Spaniels breeders of Oakland, Stockton and this City have organized a club which will be known as the Spaniel Club of California. The new club will foster the breeding of Cocker, Sussex, Clumber and Irish water Spaniels. F. E. Miller of Oakland is president, John E. Doak of Stockton, J. H. Sammi and H. H. Carlton of this city, J. H. Brooks and J. H. Simpson of Oakland, Vice-Presidents, and A. H. Blow, Secretary-Treasurer. Over forty breeders of Spaniels have signified their intention of becoming members.

ACME'S WIN AGAIN.

The Ball Club Has Captured Two Straight Games.

The Acme Ball Club has another victory to record being the tenth straight. The boys defeated a picked team on the College grounds last Sunday by a score of ten to nine. The game was very close although it was full of errors.

The Acmes were three men short and filled the vacancies on the grounds. Pop Hardie played with the team and played a very good game. He showed that with a little practice he could get back to his old time form.

In speaking of the game, Captain Donovan said: "I think that our team could safely go up against any team in either of the two new Leagues in San Francisco. We are situated now in Oakland without even a sand lot to play ball upon; the college grounds are to be reserved for the college players. We are to play the Reliance next Sunday but I do not know where we can play; it seems strange that none of these electric roads will lay out a few hundred dollars on grounds, when it is a sure thing that they could get back the amounts inside of a month.

THE ACME RACE.

The Wheelmen Will Try for Prizes Next Sunday.

The Acme ten-mile road race takes place Sunday on the new Hayward's course.

The first place prize will be a bicycle suit made to order by a leading tailor; first time prize, $20 order for merchandise; second place, $10 order for merchandise; third place, Turkish bath robe; fourth place, racing suit.

During the Acme trampers' run, Sunday, Henry Tank was elected Captain for the remaining term left vacant by Jimmie Shanley who resigned. Many long runs are now being planned for the future.

RUSHERS AND RUBBERS.

A Lively Game of Basket Ball at the Y. M. C. A.

The basket ball game played on the evening of the 5th between the San Francisco Rushers and the Oakland Rubbers at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium was lively in the extreme. Captain Klasmon and Fleisher did some very accurate throwing, making five out of the six goals scored. The game was won by the Rushers by a score of six to three.

The teams lined up as follows:

Oakland—Rock, rf.; Tullett and Muller, lf.; J. R. Lancaster, rc.; Walter Rhode, lc.; Joseph Lancaster, c.; William, rg.; West, lg.

San Francisco—Spacher, rf.; Klarman, lf.; Krieger and Marchant, rc.; Shaw, lc.; Fleischer, c; Mitchell, rg.; Honrahan, lg.

Dr. H. L. Dietz and Alfred T. Brock umpired, F. W. Edwards and L. Eldridge timed and Andrew Armstrong scored.

Rock scored two of the three goals made by Oakland.

LAKESIDE VALE.

The Old Tennis Club Gives Place to the "Boulevard."

The Old Lake Side Tennis Club has disbanded but a successor in the form of the Boulevard Tennis Club has sprung up to take its place. Sam P. Hardy who has the management of the new organization has secured a court at Boulevard Terrace, on Twenty-second street near Webster. As there is but one court at the new location the club membership will be limited to twenty-five. Work to put the court in condition will commence right away.

THE WALLACE CUP.

Preparations Being Made for the Big Race.

Affairs in the California Yacht Club are apparently rather quiet, although there is an under current of excitement brought about the race for the Wallace cup to be held on the 21st of this month. The yachts are being put in racing trim so no cruise was held last Sunday nor will one be sailed next Sunday.

LOCAL TALENT.

Many Oakland Dentists to Give Addresses at Santa Cruz.

Among the dentists of this city who are to read papers at the convention of dentists now in session at Santa Cruz and the subjects they are to discuss are as follows:

Dr. A. F. Merriman, Jr., "How to Elevate the Standard of the Dental Profession," and "Use of Power and Other Mallets in Gold Building; Dr. J. M. Dunn of "The Antrum, Diseases of, and Its Functions;" Dr. Walter F. Lewis of "Report of Committee on Therapeutics;" Dr. F. W. Meek of "Report of Committee on Pathology and Surgery;" Dr. J. Russell H. Cool of "Popular Dissemination of Dental Knowledge," illustrated with lantern slides, and "Antral Lessons in Oral Surgery."

Bay City Flour is purest.

A Convention Postponed.

The Alameda County Convention that was to be have been held the 12th and 13th inst. is deferred until later in the season. The programme of exercises made out for that occasion will not be used in consequence on the above dates.

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EXERCISES AT BERKELEY.

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REMARKABLE TALENT SHOWN.

Clear Logical Thought the Result of Excellent Training.

The graduating exercises at the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institution in Berkeley were held yesterday afternoon and differed in many respects from the usual order of such events. There were no graduating essays read and the recitations were in the graceful sign language. The assembly hall where the exercises took place was crowded. The rostrum was very simply decorated with a few potted plants and palms.

After the opening exercises Dr. Wilkinson, principal of the Institute, had four pupils of the first and third year's instruction give an exhibition of slate work. This was done by deaf pupils from 11 to 14 years of age. The children were Annie Walcott, Minnie Phelps, Maggie McLean and Guisseppi Gabriella. Dr Wilkinson explained that the children were taught language, they were also instructed in science, geography, physiology, etc. To illustrate this, he showed the pupils a thermometer and they explained its use, the materials used in making and other interesting facts in regard to the instrument.

The next exhibition was by the little blind pupils of 10, 11 and 12 years of age, who did some remarkable work in rapid multiplication and in geography. The little ones were able to multiply any figures below 25 without a moment's hesitation. The little ones were Jessie Winters and Robbie Spankenberg.

The senior deaf pupils gave some slate exercises. The audience asked questions on any of the two topics of the day and the pupils wrote the answers on the slate. The question were varied in nature and some of the replies were decidedly quaint and original. The two young women, Miss Florence Alexander and Miss Frances Mortos, were asked their views on the woman's right question and one gave her answer in the following words:

"For a good many years women have been trying to have the same rights as men do and have not succeeded very well, owing to the refusal of the latter to let them have freedom in the way of voting and debating the leading questions. But in spite of all this some women take the lead in politics."

The other young woman wrote a very clever reply in which she stated that she believed in woman's right to vote especially if a woman owned property, but she had no sympathy with a mannish woman.

The pupils replied to questions regarding the Cuban troubles, the St. Louis Convention, the liquor question, the silver matter, the Armenian troubles and one young woman gave her views on music.

The questions were answered cleverly and showed considerable originality in some cases. The pupils were evidently well read and versed in current events.

A little boy of 8 years, Melville Matthews, who had been deaf ever since he was 5 years old, read questions asked by Professor Wilkinson from the latter's lips and answered them clearly and fairly distinctly.

An example of reading was given by the blind pupils, who read Carlyle's "Hero Worship" written in points and in raised letters. Miss Gussie Mast read the raised letters very rapidly, although a handkerchief folded twice was placed between the letters and her fingers.

There was a clever little sign recitation given by Miss Gande; "Smile a Little," which was a graceful piece of work. A young lad of about 14, Paul Demarthal, gave a most graphic description of a hunting trip in signs, while a little girl of the same age, Tonita Peralta, gave an exhibition of the signs for words. She described birds in signs and also mental qualities and emotions.

During the exercises the blind pupils sang and played in a very creditable manner.

President David Starr Jordan of Stanford University made an address to the graduates which was interpreted in signs to the deaf ones by Dr. Wilkinson. President Jordan said:

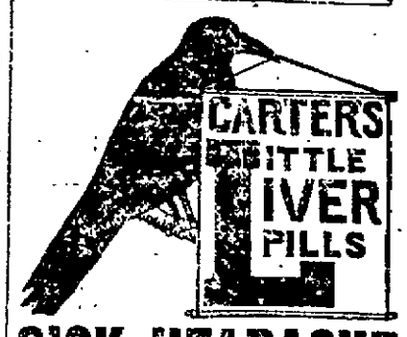
"I have been greatly interested and pleased in these exercises. It is easy to teach a child who has all his senses and I fear that frequently on account of that, we instruct him in a slip-shod manner. Neither the instructors or the pupils put forth their best efforts, consequently many who have the use of all their faculties cannot do as much as these pupils can. I have just one word to say to the pupils in a moral way, although I hardly think it is necessary. Unless the bit of sod under your feet is the sweetest in the world to you you will not be content. The time to enjoy life is now; the time to make the most of your opportunities is now. I sympathized with the blind student who wanted to climb the Alps in order to have the pleasure of conquest. To know what to do next is the great element of success in life. The very essence of living is to do the best thing next. The way to build up a character is to find out what to do. The habit of doing the right thing is to lay the keystone of happiness. We are not called upon frequently to do great things, so let us do the little best things that lead to happiness and success."

Dr. Wilkinson then presented diplomas to the following: W. A. Cotter, Caroline J. Crawford, Isadore Hyman Davis, Mabel Gande, Isabelle Henessey, Gustav O. Isert and an honorable dismissal to Geo. Richville.

The exercises closed with the Lord's Prayer given in signs by Miss Henessey.

The programme in full was as follows:

Prayer—By Rev. J. K. McLean, D. D.
Chorus, "Huntsman's Song"....Kuecken
Slate exercises by deaf pupils of first and third year's instruction.
Piano trio, "Pas Redouble" .....Mayer
Miss Erickson, Masters Caceres and Paxton.
Organ solo, "March Militaire"....Tedesco
Miss Lily Smith.
Class-room exercises by blind pupils in reading, writing, arithmetic, geography, etc.
Piano solo, "Air de Ballet".....Durand
Master Thomas Morrison.
Slate exercises by the senior deaf pupils. Subjects by the audience.
Soprano, "Magneteic Waltz" .....Arditi
Miss Gussie Mast.
Piano solo, "Les Phalenes".....Gregh
Miss Lily Smith.
Sign recitations.
Organ solo "Communion in G"....Batiste
Master Thomas Morrison.
Address to graduates—David Starr Jordan, Ph. D., L. L. D., president Leland Stanford, Jr., University.
Presentation of diplomas.
Chorus, "The Brook" .....Cross
The Lord's Prayer in signs—Miss Isabella Hennessey.



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